THE WEATHER
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THE LOWELL SUN

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SUIT FOR $25,000

Opened Today at the Superior Civil Court

In the case of Edward H. Crosby, dramatic editor of the Boston Post vs. Lyman H. Richards, the jury returned a verdict of $266.38 for the plaintiff.

The case of Peter Liberis vs. Mary Sokal to recover $700 loaned to the defendant by the plaintiff, took up the morning session of the court. Nearly all of the witnesses are Poles and required the services of an interpreter. Lawyer Craig of Lawrence represented the defendant while Bennett Silverskatt of this city appeared for the plaintiff. The arguments were made before the noon adjournment.

The next case on the docket was that of Charles F. Andrews vs. Boston and Maine railroad an action of tort in the sum of $25,000. Fred Henry Gile of Boston appears for the plaintiff and Messrs. Trull & Wier for the defendant.

The plaintiff claims that on December 8th, 1910, while sitting in the depot of the Boston and Maine railroad at Clinton, Mass. waiting for a train to Worcester a long freight train which was coming down the grade approaching the depot failed to stop at the proper time and drove a car of the N. Y., N. H. and H. railroad that was just pulling out for Fitchburg through one end of the depot into the room where he was sitting knocking him about and injuring him severely.

The insurance case of Kelly vs. Mutual Life Insurance company have been assigned for trial at the Cambridge session of the superior court now sitting and will be reached within a few days, J. Joseph O'Connor appearing for the plaintiff.

IN A BAD CONDITION

Many Complaints Have Been Received About Gorham Street

Gorham street, one of the principal thoroughfares in this city, is in a deplorable condition. In the first place its width does not allow the passage of an electric car if wagons are standing in certain portions of the street, it is dusty and dirty, there are numerous trees which obstruct traffic, there are pavements which are much below grade, some of the curbings are bad and during the stormy season it is almost impossible for vehicles to ply their way through the street.

Despite the narrowness of the street, that portion of Gorham street between Tower's corner and Union street, is in excellent shape since the block paving with the Hassam treatment, has been installed.

Beyond Union street, however, it is

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PRIMARY EXPENSES

Statements Filed by Many of the Candidates

The act having to do with corrupt practices in elections provides that the candidates for nomination and election shall file a statement in writing, with the city clerk, setting forth each sum of money and thing of value expended, contributed or promised by them, for the purpose of securing or in any way affecting his nomination or election. The law provides that the statement shall be filed within seven days after primaries or elections have been held.

This is the last day for candidates for nomination to file the statement required by law and, up to the noon hour, but 29 out of the 130 candidates had filed their statements.

The candidate was called upon to answer three questions made pertinent by law. The questions, "Date paid?" "To whom paid or promised?" "Amount?"

Col. Percy Parker, candidate for mayor, answered these questions in a very few words. To the first question he made answer and said: "At no time." To the second question he answered: "Nobody," and to the third, "nothing."

Other candidates for nomination to file their papers are as follows:

James J. McCarty, newspaper advertising, $40.80; Keith's theatre program, $7.50; total, $48.30.

For Alderman

Lawrence Cummings; newspaper advertising, $18.80, cards $10, back $2, other expenses, $6. Total, $36.80.

Joseph N. Wilson, newspaper advertising, $19.50.

Sam Scott, newspaper advertising, $16.75, cards, $6.75; total, $23.50.

Clarence H. Nelson, cards $1.50.

William H. Brown, cards, $10.00.

F. E. McNabb, newspaper advertising, $9.40; carriage, $3; total, $12.40.

Michael A. Lee, newspaper advertising, $13.95; cards, $10; postage, 75c., total, $24.70.

George H. Brown, rent $35, ward rooms $9, newspaper advertising $38. Brown's publicity committee $98.50, total $180.50.

Josiah Fielding Fiske wrote on his statement "paid out nothing."

Wesley Sawyer, newspaper advertising, $10.35.

Abbott Lawrence wrote: "I paid out no money and made no promises of any kind, financially or otherwise."

William Drapeau, cards $10.

George Garrity, cards $5.

Herbert E. Webster, newspaper advertising $15.25, cards $7.50, postage $5.94, total $28.69.

Alden B. Ilsley, newspaper advertising $6.50, cards $5.75, total $12.25.

John J. Mahoney, advertising $7.50, team $3, total $10.50.

Charles H. Hobson, newspaper advertising $48.

William E. Sproule, cards $15.

Gilbert F. Wright, newspaper advertising $6.05.

School Board

Craven Midgley wrote: "No money expended, contributed or promised."

Thomas G. Waller said: "Not a penny."

William F. Curtin expended $22.15; $17.40 for newspaper advertising and $4.75 for cards.

John Jacob Rogers let go of $23; $17 for newspaper advertising and $6 for cards.

Franklin E. Johnson wrote on his statement: "Nothing paid out or promised.

Charles A. Gallagher spent $2.50 on cards.

Broderick's, Concord hall, tonight.

DEMOCRATIC EXPENSES

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—The statement of the receipts and expenditures of the democratic state committee was given out today, showing contributions of $205 and disbursements of $221.08.

The statement makes no mention of the $5,000 which Gov. Foss stated in his return of his election expenses he paid to the "democratic state committee, John F. McDonald, chairman."

The largest contributor was Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell, $25.

Lighten the Burden

Who does the sewing in your home?

How can you help her permanently?

Ask Santa Claus to bring her an electric motor for her sewing machine.

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THE GRAND JURY

Ready to Investigate the Alleged Dynamite Conspiracy

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 6.—The stage was set today for a federal grand jury investigation here of an alleged nationwide dynamiting conspiracy. The town, vexed and torn by the lately concluded murder trial of James B. McNamara and the events leading to it, would be glad to let go of the whole affair, prominent citizens declare. But it is felt that such a scheme is out of the question. Among the reasons necessitating the investigation here in the opinion of federal authorities are:

The presence of Ortie McManigal, who, by his own assertion, was a participant in many dynamite plots.

The presence of James B. McNamara and his brother, John J., pending their departure for San Quentin penitentiary, where they are sentenced to life and 15 years' imprisonment respectively.

The amazing quantity and completeness of evidence gathered against the McNamaras which led their chief of counsel to seek eagerly for terms upon which his client might plead guilty.

McManigal's reminiscences as already given out by him, include both the transportation of dynamite from state to state and conspiracy to blow up various buildings in the country. He says he did many jobs of this sort and enumerated them. What the McNamaras will tell if they appear is not so well known. All sorts of data in this connection have been gathered by District Attorney Fredericks of Los Angeles county through his aides. Every interview on the McNamara case thus far published has been put in a scrapbook.

It is known that the present status of the McNamaras has arisen as an obstacle to their appearance before the grand jury. The evidence of James B. McNamara, a confessed murderer, it is said, is not admissible in a court of law and there is some doubt as to that of John J. McNamara. The rules of grand jury procedure, however, are not the same as those which govern the taking of evidence in court. Sheriff Hammil was informed by the United States district attorney's office that the McNamaras appearance before the grand jury might be asked and he was requested not to take them away immediately. They therefore spent today, the first which counts on their penitentiary sentence, in the same cells in the county jail which they have occupied since April 26, when they were brought here from Indianapolis. A conference to determine the scope of the federal grand jury investigation was held today by government officials following a like conference yesterday. The grand jury will convene tomorrow.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

At Sacred Heart Church Opens Tonight

The retreat for women which opens at the Sacred Heart church at 7.30 this evening will be conducted by Rev. Fr. Phelan, O. M. I., a member of the Oblate Missionary band. Fr. Phelan is a excellent speaker and is well known by the parishioners. He assisted in the last men's retreat and his sermons were most interesting and edifying.

The retreat will continue for the remainder of the week.

Instructions will be given at the 5 and 8 o'clock masses each morning. The retreat will be brought to a close at 6.30 Sunday night when there will be a reception into the Holy Rosary and Children of Mary sodalities, and the Apostalic benediction will be bestowed.

The reunion committees will meet in the school hall at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at which time it is expected final returns will be made. On December 15th the prizes will be awarded.

FUNERALS

HOOLE—The funeral of Mr. William H. Hoole, who died Friday at the home of his brother, Dr. Edward Hoole, of West Somerville, took place from the Edson cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful floral offerings, which showed with mute testimony the esteem in which the deceased was held. The services were conducted by Rev. A. R. Dilts, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, and there were appropriate selections sung by Rev. A. S. Woodworth. The bearers were Messrs. Fred Perkins, Gus Sturtevant, William Mansfield and George Ansart. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier company.

MARSHALL—The funeral of James G. Marshall took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his residence, 1067 Gorham street. The services were conducted by Rev. Ransom A. Greene, D. D., of Somerville, and Rev. Clarence R. Skinner, pastor of the Grace Universalist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mr. and Mrs. George E. Burns. Delegations were present representing Ancient York lodge, A. F. and A. M., Mt. Horeb Royal Arch chapter, Ahasuerus council and Pilgrim commandery No. 9; also Grand Union lodge, I. O. O. F., and the directors of the Mechanics Savings bank. The committal services were conducted at the grave by Pilgrim commandery No. 9, and the bearers were all members of the commandery. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

NOEL—The funeral of Romeo Noel, the boy who was killed in an accident at the Massachusetts mills, Monday forenoon, took place this morning from the home of his parents, 30 Davidson street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at 8 o'clock at St. Joseph's church by Rev. Fr. Blais, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Mr. Frank Gourdeau rendered the Gregorian chant. Mrs. J. A. Bernard presiding at the organ. The bearers were Henri Tousignant, Arthur Dube, Raoul Lebiane and Antonio Bellehumeur. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiating at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Amedee Archambault.

MAGUIRE—The funeral of Terrence J. Maguire took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of John F. Rogers and proceeded to St. Peter's church where a high mass of requiem was sung by Fr. Mullen. The choir under the direction of James E. Donnelly, sang the Gregorian mass; the solos being sung by Miss Whitley and James E. Donnelly. As the body was being borne from the church the choir sang "In Paradisum." The bearers were Martin J. Heeren, Frank Carroll, George McBride, J. P. Mahoney, Charles Dowd, Michael Rynne, John and James Maguire. The floral pieces were: Large spray of pinks and chrysanthemums, Misses Kate and Sarah Sparks; spray of pinks and chrysanthemums, Frank Carroll. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. W. G. Mullin. Funeral Director John F. Rogers in charge.

DEATHS

GAUDETTE—J. R. Gaudette, infant son of Joseph and Justine Gaudette, aged 13 days, died today at the home of his parents, Spring street, North Chelmsford.

DE AGUITAR—Maria, infant daughter of Joas and Mary de Aguitar, died this morning at the home of her parents, 133 Colburn street, aged 14 days.

PINKERTON—John M. Pinkerton died last night at his home, 434 School street, aged 45 years. He is survived by his wife, Bessie, one brother and four sisters.

LEVEILLE—Damase Leveille, aged 68 years, one of the best known residents of this city, died early this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wilfrid Cordeau, 46 Fisher street. Deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Wilfrid Cordeau and Miss Delmina Leveille and two brothers, Stanislas of Joliette, Que., and Dauphin of Worcester. He was a member of the Centralville Social club and of many fraternal organizations.

MACRAE—Alexander Lang Macrae, aged 51 years, 6 months and 20 days, died this morning at his home, 85 Royal street. The deceased is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Walter Cleworth of this city and Mrs. Ralph P. Adams of Chelmsford; a mother, Mrs. Hannah Macrae; five five brothers and a sister. The deceased was a member of Ancient York lodge, A. F. of A. M.; Chevalier-Middlesex lodge of the Knights of Pythias and Lowell lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen.

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AN ABLE ADDRESS

Jeremiah O'Sullivan Spoke to Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's

St. Patrick's school hall was crowded with members of the Holy Name society of the parish last night when a smoke talk was held under the auspices of the organization. The speaker of the evening was Principal assessor Jeremiah O'Sullivan and his talk on "The Exiles of Ireland" was one of the most interesting lectures heard for some time. It showed that the young attorney was thoroughly familiar with his subject and had made a study of the accomplishments of the different men to whom he made reference. Mr. O'Sullivan made a fine impression on the gathering and frequently during his remarks he was applauded. At the close of his talk, Rev. Fr. Curtin, chaplain of the Holy Name, took occasion to compliment him on his able address, and then Fr. Curtin thanked the members for their interest in the organization as shown by the large atendance, and urged them to be faithful to the principles of the society and to be loyal to the teachings of the church. He assured them that if they lived up to the pledge taken by them when they became members of the Holy Name, they would be better citizens of the country and would be doing a great work in their own welfare. Mr. O'Sullivan in his address spoke in part as follows:

Mr. O'Sullivan's Address

"The Irishman's love for his native land is an ideal love. Love of human liberty is an instinct born in his breast. It is an inherent impulse of his heart which has found expression in deeds that have not only illumined the pages of his own country's long, sad story, but have left their impress upon the history of almost every civilized nation in the world.

"Human liberty is not only a cherished ideal of the Irish heart, but the Irishman's love of it has been the impelling motive that has filled senates with immortal oratory, courts of justice with triumph of forensic genius,

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HORSE RAN AWAY

A Lively Scene in Prescott Street

There's a window broken in the Standard Supply company's store in Prescott street and it wasn't broken by clerk or pedestrian.

A spirited horse is responsible for the break, but it's the day's best bet that the poor fellow didn't mean it. He got agoing and couldn't stop.

He was attached to a runabout and he came along Market street and across Central street. He was aimed for the store and he got there all right.

The window was smashed and the horse went through with it all without serious injury to himself.

The horse was badly cut about the legs. He was owned by a man named Cenant.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

WOMAN FROM READING

Was a Defendant in the Police Court Today

The police court session was very long this morning and the judge's time was occupied the greater part of the forenoon by the case of Mrs. Julia I. Smith of Reading, charged with a statutory offense. There were quite a a large number of witnesses sworn in after the defendant had entered a plea of not guilty. The government in this case was represented by Lawyer Robert E. Harding of Boston, while the defendant was represented by five attorneys, James P. Magenis, John Wentworth, John Donahue and Ward Porter, all of Boston and R. J. Crowley of this city.

The witnesses for the government were John W. Smith, husband of the defendant, Charles H. Bents, Edgar Frost and John Sweeney all of Boston. According to their testimony, on Nov. 22, they came to this city and stationed themselves at the Northern depot and watched for a while. At about 10 o'clock in the evening, an automobile, a large touring car, came along containing two men and two women among whom it is alleged was the defendant, and stopped in front of a local hotel, and the four alighted and entered the hotel, the women by the ladies' entrance, while the men entered the office and registered. Later Mr. Smith and his witnesses also entered the hotel and rented a room next to the one occupied by the Smith woman and her companion. Some time during the evening, the proprietor of the hotel was called upstairs and the five men entered the room where it was said the couple were. The result of their finding was that a warrant was sworn against the woman and she was arrested in Boston.

In the course of his testimony Mr. Smith testified that he is employed as ticket agent for the Gulf & West Indies Steamship company in Boston, and that his home is at 19 Cortes street, Boston, Mass. He also stated that he and his wife were married in Malden, Mass., on January 17, 1904, and that on May 26, 1910, he left his wife. He also admitted being now under an order from the superior court for non support.

Drunkenness Charged

James O'Brien admitted being drunk and was sentenced to the state farm. Frank J. O'Brien was also found guilty of drunkenness and was sentenced to four months in the common jail. He entered an appeal and was held in the sum of $200. James Donally and James T. Choulnard, two second offenders, were fined $6 each, while three first offenders were fined $2 apiece.

Non Support

Frank D. Monty, charged with failing to provide proper support for his wife, entered a plea of not guilty and his case was continued till tomorrow.

John Cassidy, who was also charged with non support of his wife and minor children, admitted his guilt, and he was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail, he being placed on probation for a term of one year.

The Barnard Case

Frank Barnard, charged with selling liquor to a minor, failed to put in an appearance this morning when his case was called and he was defaulted. His default was later taken off when Mr. Barnard entered the court room, and the case was continued till Tuesday morning.

HELD IN $2000 BONDS

Lowell Automobilist is Charged With Manslaughter

James H. Horsfall, the Lowell automobilist who is charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Mrs. Ruth Kittredge at Wilmington on the night of Nov. 11, waived examination at his continued hearing in the Woburn district court today and was held by Judge Edward Johnson in bonds of $2,000 for the grand jury.

It is alleged that Mrs. Kittredge was fatally hurt by being run down by an automobile operated by Horsfall.

MAXWELL PARDONED

Lowell Man Was Serving a Life Sentence for Murder of Wife

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—A favorable report was made today by the pardon committee of the executive council on the petition of Samuel R. Maxwell of Lowell, serving a life sentence for the murder of his wife. Maxwell has served 13 years. The petition was endorsed by Judge Lawton of the superior court and John J. Harvey of Lowell, counsel for the prisoner at the trial. The committee also had before it a letter from the mother of the murdered woman endorsing the petition. Similar action was also taken on the petition of Manuel Duarte of Cape Cod, serving three years for criminal assault.

Later in the day Governor Foss granted pardons in both cases.

NOTHING TO IT
We now present the "Melrose" chocolates, packed in handsome boxes (pounds only) genuine 40c quality at 29c a box. The mixture includes walnut creams, caramels, nougatines, fruit jellies and pure fruit center creams. If it isn't as good as any 40c mixture you ever bought, bring it back and get your money. Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street. (Sample of Howard's Pine-Balm for coughs—Free.)

SOCIALISTS GOT TWO MEN

BREMERTON, Wash., Dec. 6.—The socialists elected two councilmen in yesterday's election. The Citizens independent ticket elected the mayor, treasurer, clerk and two councilmen. Bremerton voted 3 to 1 in favor of consolidating with Charleston but the latter rejected the merger.

LOWELL GAS COKE SATISFIES

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Yours truly,
(Signed) MRS. E. A. ROBITAILLE,
282 Westford St.

FIVE MEN WERE KILLED

Many Others Injured in a Train Wreck at Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 6.—Five men were killed and a score injured, a number of them seriously, shortly before eight o'clock this morning in a wreck of two freights and an express train on the Pennsylvania road at Devils Bend, one-half mile east of Manor, Pa.

The dead:

Engineer Frank Daily of the express train and four unknown men who were in the express cars.

Fireman John Myers was perhaps fatally injured, while several other members of the three crews were seriously hurt.

Many others sustained bruises.

Twenty-six valuable horses which were being carried in one of the express cars were killed.

The debris was scattered over the four main tracks and traffic was tied up for hours.

THE INJURIES

TO FOOTBALL PLAYERS NOT SO NUMEROUS UNDER NEW RULES

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 6.—Less players have been hurt under the present football rules than under the rules which preceded them, according to Trainers Donovan of Harvard, Fitzpatrick of Princeton and Mack of Yale, who were asked questions on this subject by the Yale News. The injuries, they all agree, were mostly muscle bruises or sprained ankles. The News points out that the opinions of the trainers seem to be in conflict with newspaper statistics which have claimed that thirteen players were killed during the season. The mortality list when examined showed that all but two of the players killed were high school students who probably had observed no rules of training.

TO PILE VICTIMS

TREAT THE INWARD CAUSE IF YOU WANT A CURE

Is piles a skin disease?

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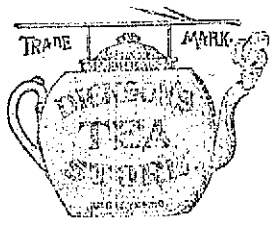

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LOWELL TEACHERS

HEARD PROF. MOLLOY ON "A TALE OF TWO CITIES."

The Lowell Teachers' association held its regular monthly meeting in the high school hall yesterday, and after the regular business meeting listened to an interesting address by Prof. Hugh Molloy of the State Normal school on Dicken's "Tale of Two Cities."

THE REPUBLICANS WON

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 6.—Olympia yesterday rejected the commission form of government by a plurality of 68 votes. The republicans won. Two women were among the defeated socialist candidates.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Guy Stevenson and Miss Katherine Young, both of this city, were united in marriage, November 29th, by Rev. Dr. George E. Martin, formerly of the Kirk Street church but now of Lexington. The ceremony was performed at his home. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson will reside in this city.

SWEETSER—SNOW

Miss Ada M. Snow of this city and Mr. Alvin Sweetser of Chelmsford were united in marriage November 29, 8 a. m., at the parsonage of St. Paul's M. E. church, Rev. G. W. Hook officiating. They were attended by Mrs. Maynard Peverill of North Chelmsford and Mr. William R. Snow of this city, sister and brother of the bride. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sweetser left on the 8.45 train for Centre Ellingham, N. H., where they intend to make their future home.

CONSPIRACY CHARGED

OPORTO, Portugal, Dec. 6.—Castello Branco, formerly minister to China while the monarchy was still in existence, was arrested here today on a charge of conspiracy against the republic while he was on a visit in Brazil.

PASTOR ACCUSED

WOMAN SAYS THAT HE LIED

PITTSFIELD, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Anna E. Arnold, wife of Sumpter Arnold, an electric engineer and son of Rev. Carl O. Arnold of St. Helena's Episcopal chapel in New Lenox, charged Rev. Mr. Arnold with lying, in the Berkshire district court yesterday while the curate was testified in the defense of his son, who has been sued by Mrs. Arnold for non-support.

The Arnolds were married in Detroit, Aug. 21, 1907, and they lived together in Minneapolis, Detroit, New York and New Lenox until Jan. 15, 1911, when Sumpter Arnold separated from his wife in New York and returned to New Lenox to live with his father.

It was in relation to a meeting that Rev. Mr. Arnold was testifying yesterday morning: "She told me over the telephone that her condition was due to opiates which she had taken and desired a personal interview with me," testified Rev. Mr. Arnold.

"It's a lie; O, how can he lie so? It's a lie!" sobbed Mrs. Arnold.

She testified she was Miss Anna E. Phillips of Minneapolis, Minn., and was 12 years older than her husband when they were married. She has some property and had an income of $85 a month when she married. She had sold one house and her income had dwindled to $27 a month, she said.

Young Arnold, it was testified, earns $16 a week in the electric works. He was traveling salesman for the American Spool company and drew a large salary when he married.

By agreement in court the husband will pay his wife $5 a week.

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39c

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97c

Discontinued styles of $1.50 and $1.97 Lingerie and Tailored Waists. Thursday bargain day

97c

Discontinued styles of $2.50, $2.97 and $3.50 Lingerie, Silk and Wool Waists. Thursday bargain day

$1.97

A few $2.97, $3.97 and $5.00 Waists. Thursday bargain day

$2.97

Corset Covers and Aprons at 50c and above in gift boxes if you ask for them.

Store opens at 8.30 instead of 8 o'clock.

THE White Store

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THE FOSS BOOM

Launched by Ex-Congressman Conry

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Ex-Representative Joseph A. Conry of Boston arrived here last night, announcing boldly that he brings the Foss presidential boom. He stated this with some emphasis to the newspapers and made it known that he purposed to give the boom all the publicity he could during his three days in Washington.

"I have come on ahead of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange delegates to the rivers and harbors congress," said Mr. Conry, "and I am doing what I can to inform people here that Gov. Foss will accept the democratic nomination for president. He will have the solid support of New England, in my judgment."

Mr. Conry's appearance here within 24 hours after Gov. Foss' departure will attract some attention, as the city is full of people keyed up with excitement over politics.

MAN FOUND DEAD

BELIEVED TO BE VICTIM OF MORPHINE

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—A man, believed to be James A. Wood, formerly a sailor on the United States Revenue Cutter Woodbury, was discovered in a dying condition in his bunk on the Steamship Bay State yesterday morning, when it docked in Boston.

He died shortly after a physician had been called, and the cause of death is believed to be morphine poisoning, as Medical Examiner Magrath found a silver match case among the effects of the dead man which contained a number of morphine tablets

If the dead man is James A. Wood, as the authorities believed, he deserted his ship last June and was a short time later sentenced to the Cumberland county jail in Portland, from where he was released last Sunday.

According to the medical examiner, there is nothing indicative of suicide in the death, and one theory advanced is that the man, after having spent a number of months in jail, where no morphine could be obtained, may have had such a craving for it that when he obtained his liberty and took the steamer from Portland to Boston he took an overdose.

The man came to Boston with the intention of finding out in this city just where his relatives are now residing in Chicago, he having told a friend he was going out there to join them.

The body is at the North Grove street morgue awaiting a positive identification and a claimant.

AGAINST EVENING SCHOOLS

NASHUA, N. H., Dec. 6.—The board of aldermen last evening refused passage of a resolution appropriating $1000 to establish evening schools. Aldermen Shattuck and Farnsworth voted for the appropriation and Aldermen Dunklee, Nason, Crompton and Rancour against. The other three members were absent.

Mayor Barry said after the vote that he was in favor of starting evening schools, which had not been run in Nashua for several years.

Don't forget, tonight, Concord hall.

OPPOSED TO COMMISSION

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 6.—The commission form of government was defeated here yesterday by a vote of more than two to one.

5000 DELEGATES

At the River and Harbor Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—With probably 5,000 delegates from all sections of the country attending, the National River and Harbor congress began its eighth annual convention here today. The program for the opening session included an address of welcome by Secretary of War Stimson and addresses by Rep. Stephen Sharkman chairman of the house committee on rivers and harbors, and Dr. David McKinley, a director of the University of Illinois.

This convention is expected to be the most important as well as the best attended in the history of the congress. For the first time the presidents of the individual associatons will be given an opportunity to outline the necessities of their respective projects. Congress will be urged to establish a definite waterway policy instead of considering each project separately. The directors will recommend that the headquarters of the congress be moved from Cincinnati to Washington.

The session this afternoon was to be devoted to the addresses of the association presidents.

LOSS IS $1500

LIGHTED MATCH SET FIRE TO KIMONAS

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—A lighted match near two valuable silk kimonas in the residence of James A. Martin at 45 East Concord street yesterday forenoon started a blaze which did upward of $1500 damage before being extinguished and drove all the occupants into the street, some of them having only time to throw a blanket or a bathrobe over their night attire.

The Martins occupy the third floor of the house, and after Mrs. Martin had discovered the fire her husband endeavored to extinguish it by throwing a heavy quilt over the burning kimonas. Instead the quilt caught fire and ignited the woodwork, spreading rapidly to the other rooms.

On the floor below Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McDonald were compelled to leave the house and on the first floor Mrs. Maurice Murphy and her two children were driven out, all being sheltered in the home of neighbors.

Freckled Girls

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5½ In. Ribbons

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Baby Ribbon

In all silk, satin taffeta in Christmas reds and greens and holly patterns. Regular price 3c yard. Sale price, 10 yards for..... 19c

Wash Ribbons

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Baby Ribbon

In variety of colors. Regular price 2c yard. Sale price, yard..... 1c

KEITH'S USHERS

Held Delightful Party at Associate Hall

The first "annal" party of the ushers at B. F. Keith's local theatre was held in Associate hall last evening and was a headliner in the list of social attractions. The ushers worked in relays during the early evening in order that the patrons of the theatre might not be neglected as the result of the party, but about 9 o'clock the "bunch" were on hand and with Kittredge's orchestra discoursing inviting dance music the 100 couples present had a merry evening. The ushers in their neat dance order introduced themselves with the following greeting:

"To our friends who attend this, our first effort, we bid welcome. As an organization we are young, which is nothing against us. In our hearts and heads we are always going to remain young, and our little gatherings are going to demonstrate to you that, after all, to be young is a whole lot. As ushers we can't be old, for age means to lose the humor of life, and we don't care to miss any of the funny things. There isn't a pessimistic member in the "bunch" and, before the last bar of the farewell waltz is played, you'll know it. Therefore, having read this brief little introduction, we can't do better than quote the words of a good poet. "On with the dance, let joy be unconfined."

and as the evening hours grew many theatrical people from the different theatres put in an appearance and added to the gaiety of the occasion. The officers of the party were:

General manager, Eugene Y. Brown; floor director, H. E. Jenkins; assistant floor director, R. Cogswell; chief aid, J. J. Walsh; aids, George Fox, James J. Harrington, Paul Campbell, Charles Barton, Francis Kearney, John McMahon, John (Jettie) Mellen, Harry Chase, Paul Berry, Thomas Minahan, Everett Collins, Ben Picket, Jas. Forsythe, John Sullivan; treasurer, Leo R. Quinn.

E. Y. BROWN.

THE RICHESON CASE

Attorneys Will Keep the Defense a Secret

BOSTON, December 6.—All the plans of the defense in the case of the Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson are being kept extremely secret. Counsel John L. Lee yesterday stated that not a word could be given out, and also branded as false all interviews alleged to have been given by him. "I have nothing to say as regards the case and never have said anything," he declared. "Any statement purporting to have come from me is false.

"I have had a few conferences with the other counsel, Mr. Morse and Mr. Dunbar, but I have not seen Dr. Richeson since I have arrived in this city."

Mr. Lee, together with his brother counsel, Beverly Harrison, also of Virginia, has taken a suite of rooms at a Boston hotel and have settled themselves for a long stay.

The attitude of Moses G. Edmands, father of Mr. Richeson's fiancee, Miss Violet Edmands, toward the accused minister has given rise to the rumor that he has abandoned the case. This has been strenuously denied by the counsel in the case. Mr. Edmands, however, has not visited the minister for some time, and at Thanksgiving no notice of the minister was taken by the Edmands family. Miss Violet Edmands and her mother are at present in New York and Mr. Edmands is out of town.

Detective Burns, when asked whether Mr. Edmands had withdrawn from the case or not, said that he had not and furthermore he would not on account of the fact that he had guaranteed the defense. The defense has gathered all of its evidence and is now putting its case in shape.

A COMMON SKIN TROUBLE

Eczema is the most annoying and most common of all skin diseases. One-third of all skin troubles are eczema in one of its various forms. The best known treatment is the new remedy, Cadum. It is soothing and antiseptic, stops the terrible itching of eczema at once and begins healing with the first application. Cadum can be used with confidence in skin and scalp troubles of adults and infants, and has proved a blessing to thousands who have suffered for years from tormenting and disfiguring skin diseases. Cadum is antiseptic, prevents infection from disease germs, and should be in every home for prompt use in skin troubles. At druggists, 25c and 25c.

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WOMAN HAS REVENGE

She Killed a Man in Factory at Haverhill

HAVERHILL, Dec. 6.—Simon Chillingarian, an Armenian, was shot and killed by Mrs. Emma E. Mooshian, in the stitching room of the Hilliard & Taber factory, off Winter street, just before the factory closed down last evening.

The police claim that she shot the man because he deserted her after they had eloped last summer.

Chillingarian lived but two minutes after being shot, and the woman, who was not at all excited was disarmed by Oscar I. Courser, the foreman of the stitching room, who held her until the arrival of Patrolman Kelleher.

It was just before 5 o'clock that Mrs. Mooshian entered the factory and went to the stitching room. She had worked in the factory and was warmly greeted by several women operatives who knew her well.

She accosted one woman and asked if "Simon was at work," and on receiving an affirmative reply she walked to one end of the factory, where Chilingarian was at work as a vamper. Mrs. Mooshian wore a veil and the murdered man knew nothing of the approach of the woman until she whipped out a 32-caliber revolver and began firing.

He Crawls Under Bench

The stitchers became alarmed and about 20 fainted. One woman barely escaped being struck, the bullet whizzing past her head.

Chillingarian, as soon as the first shot was fired, leaped from his chair and crawled under the bench, where, employes say, he began pleading for mercy. Mrs. Mooshian is alleged to have fired three shots before any took effect. She stood over the man crouched beneath the table and fired two more shots, both of which entered his breast. The shooting was done so quickly that the male employes in the stitching room were powerless to aid the murdered man or stop the woman.

The noise of the five revolver shots was heard above the din of the machinery in the factory and many of the 700 employed by the firm thought an explosion had occurred.

A FINE PROGRAM

At Prof. Edmund's Concert This Evening

The annual concert and vaudville entertainment by Prof. P. Wahlron Edmunds and pupils, assisted by well-known local talent, will take place tonight in Kitson hall, Y. W. C. A. building, John street, and promises to be one of the musical events of the season. Owing to the length of the program the concert will begin at 7.45 sharp and no encores will be given. The program will number 20 selections. For piano music Prof. Edmunds and Prof. Fredette will play the "Zampa" overture and he will give as a solo the "Romance in D" by Jan Sibelius. The number of songs will be unusual. Miss Anna Bourassa and Mr. Edmunds will give "The Adieu," by Nicolai, and James E. Donnelly will please with his Lauder songs and impersonations. Tchui's "Adoration," with violin obligato, is the offering of Miss Florence McManus, and the famous number from "Maritana," "Let Me Like a Soldier Fall," will be sung by Joseph Heathcock. Hicks' "When the Heart is Young," is alloted to Miss Rebecca Lacouture and Mrs. G. G. Farquhar will give the noted "Angel's Serenade," by Braga. John Moir will give "Rose of My Life," and there will be other vocal numbers by Mrs. F. L. Roberts. Miss Bourassa, John Manchester and Miss Nela Duncan Dargett. Messrs. Manchester and Moir will give a vocal duet. Miss Mildred J. Tinker will give a characteristic dance, and a humorous sketch entitled "The Country Cousin" will be the offering of Miss Mabelle Malloy and Master Raymond Wilde. Miss Mabelle Sykes and Mr. Leavitt will give a humorous sketch called "A Pair of Lunatics," and Miss Annie Kelly will give a statue sketch, "Laureane." Harry Leavitt is programed for the reading, "Two Little Scotch Martyrs."

THE "CHANTECLER"

Presented Before Large Audience at the Opera House

Edmond Rostand's play, "Chantecler" which created such a sensation when first produced in Paris was enjoyed by a very large audience at the Opera House last night.

The fact that all the actors and actresses appeared in the plumes of overgrown farmyard fowl lent interest to the appearance of the drama in this city and accordingly it was witnessed by a critical audience.

To prepare the auditory for the first glimpse of the barnyard scene Miss Maude Adams, the leading actress in the play, came before the curtain and delivered a prologue explaining what was to come—the hens, the ducks, the little chicks, the dog, the cat and the boss of the yard, the cock—Chantecler. As the curtain arose the hens strutted out in their varied plumes, the variety in their make-up representing a great many breeds. There was also the blackbird in a large cage, a hideous faced dog chained in a kennel, the whole backed by scenery of farmyard life. Still later as the play progressed an occasional owl flitted into the arena, and by some aerial wire arrangement the Hen Pheasant pursued by the hunters flies from the forest and alights in the barn yard only to cause jealousy among the hens for she at once fell in love with Chantecler and became enamored of her resplendent plumes. In another act there was a convention of owls plotting the overthrow of Chantecler who was hated as the herald of the dawn, and the owls loved the night: their slogan was "Long live the Night." Their council of war had almost concluded when the shrill voice of Chantecler was heard; the dawn had arrived and their sight was gone so that they could not execute any of the terrible things they were to do to Chantecler.

Only the faces of the actresses appeared to distinguish them from the hen species.

The arrival of the peacock and the spreading of his great tail feathers was a notable incident in this assembly of barnyard society.

A five o'clock tea brought the feathered society together and a feature of this occasion was an encounter between Chantecler and a fighting cock who wounded himself with his own spurs.

It was the boast of Chantecler that his mission was to wake the sun each day with his song as expressed in the lines:

"I dare to believe that I
The cock, am Nature's summons to the dawn.
I dare to fear that if my voice were silent,
The East would sleep and Night would still reign on."

Chantecler consents to go to the forest with the pheasant. The song of a nightingale is heard and Chantecler entranced at its crystal music loses faith in his own brazen voice, whereupon the nightingale answers:

"We must sing the song we know, the song God gave us, though we know that other songs are more beloved than ours."

A shot is heard and a little body, the nightingale, falls from a tree. While Chantecler sorrows over the body, the forest is flooded with light, whereupon the pheasant reminds him that the day had come without his help and Chantecler consoled himself with the thought that if he did not rule the sun he can awaken the sleeping earth.

Chantecler finally turns back on his wayward life, returns to the farmyard and the pheasant caught in a trap renounces her pride and awaits the captivity that will place her under his dominion in the farmyard.

The play is a satire upon society, its whims, its conceits, its vanities and foibles. Miss Maude Adams as "Chantecler" certainly showed great ability in adapting herself so admirably to the most exacting portions of her role, while Miss Victor, as the pheasant, made a good second. There was a large company and whether the character spoke from the mouths of hens, ducks, the peacock, the blackbird, the dog, bands of owls, the work was well done. The scenery was appropriate and artistic. The performance was highly enjoyed and the audience felt grateful to Manager Ward for the opportunity to see the much talked of production in their home city.

BALALAIKA ORCHESTRA

It is indeed a far cry from the music of the Salvation Army to that of M. W. W. Andreeff's Imperial Russian Court Balalaika orchestra, which, with associate Russian grand opera singers, will come here on Saturday, Dec. 9th. The Balalaika in the hands of the Andreeff players is capable of reproducing even the sound of the cello. Still the balalaika is comparable to the tambourine of the Salvation Army lassie. Here's the analogy: The Salvation Army fights the saloon. Over in Russia the Balalaika clubs, among the working classes in St. Petersburg and throughout the Empire, keep the Czar's subjects away from vodka.

The Boston Transcript speaking of this orchestra says:

When the curtains rose, there it sat in its impassive crescent as of old; there were its strangely shaped balalaikas, domras and dulcimers; there was the long-coated and high-booted serving man with his mends, and there upon his little red stand was Mr. Andreeff of the motionless body, but the significant arms, a Mephistophelian conductor though himself an amiable and fine-spirited men. Again, he and the orchestra played their arrangements of Russian folk-tunes and of operatic fragments and added a waltz by Mr. Andreeff and two or three solos for a balalaika and the virtuoso who fingered it. Again, the twenty-five players worked miracles of mingled precision and elasticity in their modulations of pace, in the variety and the bite of their rhythms. Once more they were of a marvellous finesse in their graduation of pace, rhythm, tone and the shadings of tone. Again they made intrinsically metallic instruments sound with soft and songful voice. And once more their playing seemed the very voice of Russian folk-song—of its strangeness and simplicity, melancholy and ardors, of its faintly oriental, faintly barbaric savor of its fickle excitements and changeful languors, of its bitter-sweet homeliness. These twenty-odd instruments with the Russians that play them, and the conductor that leads them can sound the great emptiness of the gray steppes, the merry-making in the crowded and steamy room of winter, the gay bustle of the fair in the hot summer.

"THE CAT AND THE FIDDLE"

A positively entertaining and refreshing musical attraction is promised at the Opera House on tonight and Thursday matinee and night, when Chas. A. Sellon's "The Cat and the Fiddle" makes its appearance here. It is distinctly a show of novelties and surprises, and this season many new ones are promised including "My Maid in Moon," an electrical song bit, which is becoming very popular; "Mother Goose's Baby Dolls," a medley number, with all the nursery rhyme characters introduced in life like manner, such as "Mother Goose," "Little Boy Blue," "Bo Peep," "Red Riding Hood," "Simple Simon," "Tom, the Piper's Son, "Humpty Dumpty," etc. It is a great treat to the little ones, while the big folks will be delighted. "Teddy in the Jungles;" another new number is a caricature of a tropical nature, and with a scenic setting in keeping, and Harry B. Watson as "Teddy" assisted by the entire chorus.

The favorites of last season "Rosey Dreams," "The Undressed Kids," "If I Were a Sailor," "In the Shadow of an Old Date Tree," etc., are still maintained.

The scenic environment which was such a tremendous feature last season has also improved, and a Golden Fire shower introduced which is said to be a most beautiful stage illusion. The Wonderful Shipwreck, the Castle of Great Gobs, the Mystic Island of Eye, the Cave in the Catskills, and other Weird and beautiful scenes are still features. Most of the original cast will appear here headed by Harry B. Watson, probably one of the cleverest of tramp comedians, and Nellie Waters, charming soubrette; Geo. E. Hart as Mike; J. O. Campbell as Wilfred; Matty Mertz as Circe; George E. Wakefield, as Great Gobs; the Gotthard Bros and others of musical comedy fame, together with a beauty chorus.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

This week will be the last chance to see merry Donald Meek and his clever company in Lowell for this season at least for Mr. Meek returns to the Castle Square theatre in Boston while Miss Spinney and Mr. Chagnon depart for other scenes. The company has an exceptionally strong attraction for closing week in "Hello, Bill" Willis Goodhue's uproariously funny farce built upon the story of two men of the same name and a professional fixer with the inevitable love story on the side, William Fuller, "Bill" as he is familiarly called in a sporty young man who at about the time of his marriage gets into a scrape and for advice goes to Christopher Cutting, the fixer who advises him to impersonate one William Fuller, a general in the army at that time in China. Bill takes his friend's advice and suddenly becomes a hero and is wined and dined much against his will though he has to go through with the deception. In the midst of the fun along comes the real general and Bill is in worse than ever. Once more he goes to the fixer and the latter attempts to fix things once more by trying to persuade the general that he is an imposter and then follow a series of most funny situations. Donald Meek plays the part of Bill the sport, and Charles Stevens that of the general, while Jack Chagnon is the fixer. Miss Spinney, Mr. Walsh and Miss Langdon are all seen in excellent roles while Miss Hunt contributes materially to the fun. The play is finely staged. Next week the Brown-Horton stock company will open at the Hathaway presenting as the opening attraction Rose Stahl's great success, "The Chorus Lady" with popular Mark Horton as "Patricia O'Brien." Miss Horton will have associated with her Mr. William Jeffries, as leading man, Miss Langdon of the present company as ingenue, Miss Elizabeth Hunt as character woman, Mr. George Morgan will play the heavy roles while Tom Hall, Jack Warner and Charlie Crymble will be seen with the new company.

KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

As game as she is graceful, Mlle. Bessie Hathaway is at work again presenting her wonderful trained animal act though the act really didn't suffer as the result of her accident by reason of the fact that her brother conducted it in faultless manner in her absence. There are many animal acts on the stage but none is neater or cleaner than that presented by the Hathaway animals. Rawls' riddles are one of the most enjoyables features of the bill this week and come in connection with the awfully funny act entitled "The Willing Worker," presented by Rawls and Van Kauftman. Stoddard and Gardner have a vaudeville novelty including character acting, remarkable changing of costume by Miss Stoddard and instrumental musical selections by Mr. Gardner. Castulceel and his musical sextet in imitations of Creatore and his band along with selections on the ocarinas and the xylophones turn out some music that is a delight to the ear. H. R. McConnell, the president of the 13 club still presides over its meetings and lets all the audience in as honary members. Mysterious Moore never runs out of talk or names for the orchestra leader from "Steve" right through the litany while his magic acts are fine. Gordon and Kinley give several interpretations of the dance that are well worth looking at and the pictures are all new first reel productions. Get your seats for the concluding performances in advance, telephone 23.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

It's the habit of seeing something that's really new and novel that attracts large audiences to the Merrimack Square theatre daily. The quality of the entertainment is another factor that tends to keep up interest in the regular weekly offerings here. For this week, "The Boys in Blue," is one of the interesting features that is sure to "catch on." It is truly novel and should add to the many successes already scored at this popular playhouse. "Drifting," the presentation by Our Stock Company may be classed with the very best which Kendal Wes- and his assistants have appeared since their coming to Lowell. It's cleverly written and especially well interpreted. The staging if the piece is one of the very attractive touches which is sure to be enjoyed by everyone. DeVerne and Vaa, in a comedy musical offering are immense, and Lee Barth, comedian par excellence, has a rich fund of jokes and conversation. The lecture on "Lowell, Past and Present," given by Miss Beatrice Seville, is not the least interesting number on the week's bill. The photo-plays are excellent. For the last three days of the week the management will give that wonderful portrayal taken from real life, "Arrah-Na-Pogue," an Irish drama in three reels, said to be the biggest and best photo-play of its kind ever produced. On Friday night the Merrimack Square theatre concert orchestra will feature selections from the opera "The Jolly Musketeer."

MARTIN CANOLE

WAS GIVEN THE DECISION ON A FOUL

NEW BEDFORD, Dec. 6.—Martin Canole of Fall River won on a foul from Tommy Furey of Attleboro last night in the third round of a bout scheduled for 12 rounds. It was one of the poorest main bouts ever boxed here, and was a sorry spectacle for those who have seen Canole spar in his prime. Furey had it all his own way up to the time the foul was committed, and the openness of the violation of ring rules gave a general impression that the contest was a framing-up.

In the first round Furey was all over Canole with his slashing swa-handed attack, Canole landing seldom and having no steam behind his blows. The second round was a repetition of the first, Canole's once marvelous defense never serving him against Furey's fast work.

In the third round Furey started ripping both hands to Canole's stomach, and one of his punches sent Canole to the mat for the count of three. When he got up he stood defenseless while Furey banged at his body again. With all the time in the world to aim his blows, Furey was hitting low, and he sent Canole down twice more. His fouling was so flagrant that the referee stopped the bout at this point, awarding the decision to Canole.

In the semi-final Young Lavoie received the decision over Bobby Langley at the end of an eight-round bout. The preliminary was a wildcat scrap between Young O'Brien and Young Cronlow and was the first bout of the evening. In the first round O'Brien nearly won by a knockout, dropping Cronlow three times, but the latter came back in the second round and out-pointed O'Brien during the latter part of the bout.

COLONIAL THEATRE

Since the beginning of the season the Colonial, under the able management of Carl F. Michelfelder of the Michelfelder circuit, has attained the reputation of producing the very best and cleanest in photo-plays, and big houses have been the result. Although five to seven photo-plays are produced at each performance, Mr. Michelfelder will from time to time introduce special features and for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the feature will be Boucicaults great Irish classic "Arrah-Na-Pogue," in three acts. This really great photo-play will win the highest of praise from all lovers of the picture drama. No expense was spared in its production and those who have traveled in Ireland and are familiar with the beautiful story of "Arrah-Na-Pogue" will readily recognize the fact that all scenes were taken in authentic locations, giving absolutely the atmosphere that the picture requires. The story is a beautiful one.

No drama was ever written with more heartfelt thrills and no character was ever more charming than that of Arrah. Besides this feature other photo-plays will be produced at each performance and Miss McDonough will be the soloist.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Tonight is the night of nights. The amateurs will be around and they will all work hard for Christmas spending money. Bill Looney, the genial drummer who has no equal as an announcer, and who has recently been offered big inducements with Forepaugh's Circus as an announcer, will take the show in hand and run it as only he knows how to do. Wm. Gilmore, who is today considered the greatest pianist playing the vaudeville circuit will add a few runs and trills to the music that as usual will assist the amateurs to receive hearty laughs. Don't miss the fun. Your money back if we do not make you laugh.

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DEATH SENTENCE

For Men Who Murdered a Woman

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 6.—The five bandits who descended on an isolated farmhouse near Croton Lake, Nov. 9, and murdered Mrs. Mary Hall, the young wife of a superintendent of work on the New York Aqueduct, were sentenced yesterday to death in the electric chair during the week of January 15.

The five convictions for murder were completed yesterday when the jury returned a verdict of guilty in the case of Angelo Guisto. Justice never came swifter in this state to so many murderers.

Within two days after the crime the five bandits were arrested and their trials began Nov. 27. In most of the cases the jury was out barely 15 minutes. Those previously convicted were Vincenzo Corna, Felipe di Marto, Lorenzo Call and Santa Zanza.

POISONED BY GAS

Woman Died on Way to Hospital

Mrs. Sarah Goodman, aged 50 years, of 113 Howard street, committed suicide late yesterday afternoon at her home by inhaling illuminating gas. When found, Mrs. Goodman was still alive and the ambulance was summoned. She was removed to St. John's hospital, but she died on the way to the institution.

At 4.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Dorothy Goodman a stepdaughter of Mrs. Goodman entered the latter's home and found her lying on the floor in the kitchen with a gas tube extending from the gas jet to the woman's mouth. The young woman was frightened and running down stairs, notified Mrs. Morivitch, a neighbor, and both tried to revive the woman. In the meantime the ambulance was summoned and the woman was rushed to the hospital.

No reason is known why the Goodman woman took her life, for she was apparently in good health, both mentally and physically.

SEEKS DIVORCE

WOMAN SAYS HUSBAND WENT INTO BANKRUPTY TWICE

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—It was said yesterday that George K. Sherman, known well along Broadway because his income of $50,000 a year was not enough to supply his wants, so that he went into bankruptcy twice—once for $200,000 debts accumulated in two years, and the second time for $50,000—is due to appear in the courts again. This time his wife is suing him.

Hugh Gordon Miller, attorney for Mrs. Sherman, made a motion at Schenectady on Saturday that the petition for a separation be amended to make the demand sone for absolute divorce. A young woman at Port Henry N. Y., is to be named as co-respondent.

Mrs. Sherman filed affidavits alleging that George D. Sherman, millionaire mine owner and horseman, father of her husband, had entered into an agreement with him whereby the $875,000 left to the young man by the will of his grandparents was transferred to his father, to be held in trust so that she would not be able to get any financial settlement. The fortune of the father is estimated at $10,000,000, and he has two sons.

Sherman is living in the Hotel Martinique, though he usually dwells at Port Henry, N. Y., with his father. Mrs. Sherman is living at Saratoga, N. Y.

The two were married June 7, 1899. The Shermans lived together at Saratoga until January, 1902, when, Mrs. Sherman says, her husband abandoned her. He has never contributed to her support since he left her, she avers, and though she owns the house in Saratoga, all her means are consumed in keeping up the property.

THE ALDERMEN

Held a Short Session Last Night

The regular meeting of the board of aldermen held last night was a short one. The meeting was called at 8.15 o'clock and there were six members present.

The petitions of Harry Pitts, 7 Hurd street and Edgar L. Fay, 105 Nesmith street, were referred to the committee on licenses.

A hearing on petition of the Lowell Electric Light corporation for a pole location in Palmer street was held. Neither remonstrants nor petitioners appeared. The matter was referred to the committee on wires.

Hearings on petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company for three pole locations on Parker and Forest streets were in order. The petitions were referred to the committee on electric wires.

The petition of James P. McDonald for compensation as a result of injuries was referred to the committee on electric wires, in concurrence.

Petitions of the New England Telephone & Telegraph company for pole locations were continued to December 19, at which time hearings will be held.

Minor petitions were referred to the committee on street lighting.

An order calling meetings of the voters of the city for the city elections, December 19, was read and as a matter of form, was adopted.

A joint communication from the city clerk, recommending an extra day's pay for extra work at the recent preliminary elections, was referred to the committee on appropriations.

A joint communication from A. K. Whitcomb, relative to the purchase of land for a playground for the Butler school, was read. In this the school committee strongly advised against the purchase of the land.

DR. G. W. BONNEVILLE

Elected President of Dental Society

The Lowell Dental society held its bi-monthly meeting at the New American hotel last evening with a large attendance and the speaker of the evening was Dr. Henry H. Piper of Somerville, who gave an address on "Dental Hygiene and Clinic Work." President, Dr. George W. Bonneville; vice president, Dr. N. S. Phillips; secretary, Dr. V. E. Darling; treasurer, Dr. J. J. Walsh; librarian, Dr. W. S. Macleod; committee on arrangements for meeting with Lawrence and Haverhill branches, Drs. J. V. Pepin, W. S. Knapp, J. J. Walsh.

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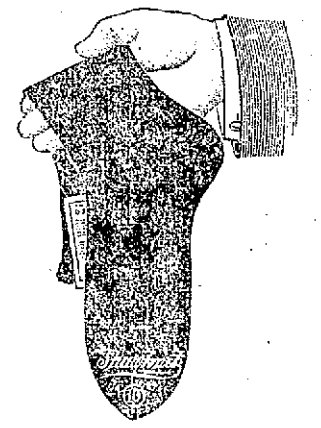

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WANTS HIS FREEDOM

Lowell Man is Serving Life Sentence for Murdering Wife

An effort is being made to secure a pardon for Samuel R. Maxwell, who murdered his wife in Lakeview avenue on Tuesday, May 31, 1898, and who at the present time is serving a life sentence in state prison.

Lawyer Henry D. Nunn, of 18 Tremont street, Boston, representing Maxwell's sister, is the petitioner for the pardon, and it is understood that he is able to bring forth enough of information which may result in the governor granting Maxwell's pardon.

Maxwell was insanely jealous and having buoyed his doubtful spirits with a quantity of liquor, he shot and killed his wife, Christiana Marie Maxwell nee McIntosh.

It was about 8.30 o'clock at night on May 31st that Maxwell and his wife were passing through Lakeview avenue, near the corner of Coburn street, when three boys, Albert Nealey, Edward L. Young and Matthew McDonald, had their attention attracted to the couple.

It was in a dark spot in the street and owing to the peculiar actions of the man the boys closely watched the couple. They suddenly saw the man draw a small revolver and fire point blank at the woman. There were two shots fired and a bullet entered each breast of the woman just above the corsets and in the same relative position. Had they struck an inch lower the corsets might have saved her.

The woman screamed and fell to the sidewalk while Maxwell stood looking at her prostrate form without making the least attempt to escape. Former Patrolmen Perkins and Burnett, who were in the vicinity, rushed to the scene of the tragedy and placed Maxwell under arrest. He said: "She was my wife and I am willing to go with you." The dying woman was carried into the home of Mrs. Bridget Fox, nearby, where she died within 15 minutes.

At the time of the murder Maxwell was 21 years of age and the woman was 19 years of age.

When placed under arrest Maxwell said he didn't care what became of him and he complained that she had been going around with other fellows and had been laughing at him. Later he was indicted by the grand jury and upon his arraignment in the superior court pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree and received a life sentence.

FREDERICK COTTER

Appointed Chauffeur of Auto Police Patrol

The regular meeting of the board of police was held yesterday afternoon instead of last evening, as is usual. The principal business of the meeting was the appointment of Frederick A. Cotter as chauffeur of the automobile police patrol, to succeed Edward J. Gookin, deceased.

Prior to the meeting, Simon B. Harris, former member of the Lowell police department, former member of the board of police and recently city marshal of Salem, applied for an auctioneer's license.

Mr. Cotter appeared before the board at 3.30 o'clock and after qualifying was informed to report for duty next Monday morning.

Frederick A. Cotter, has had considerable experience in the care and operation of automobiles. He has been employed as a tester of automobiles at various places and was employed at different times at the Moody Bridge garage, City Hall garage and at the Lowell Automobile corporation. During the past three years he has been chauffeur for Frederick A. Pilling, the well known shoe manufacturer.

Favorable action was taken on the following minor licenses:

Intelligence office: Lizzie J. Nevius, 120 Lawrence street.

Common victualler: Arthur Richardson, 60 Gorham street.

Job wagon: Anthony Mastakouras, 22 rear of 609 Market street.

Express: Bay State Storage and Warehouse Co., by William Brown, 334-360 Jackson street.

Junk collector: Philip Riley, 10 Hard street.

Auctioneer: Renewal, Simon B. Harris, Central block.

Billiard and pool: Edmond Cornier, 197 Moody street.

To sell ice cream, etc., on the Lord's day: Alphonse J. Lemire, 82 Aiken street.

The common victualler's license of Samuel W. Killpartrick was surrendered and cancelled as was the license of Edward J. Vigneault, to sell ice cream, etc., on the Lord's day.

"TOM" CLIFFORD

WILL SING AT K. OF C. "LADIES' NIGHT."

Thomas E. Clifford, the eminent Boston baritone will sing at Associate hall this evening in connection with the ladies' night of Lowell council, K. of C.

LYNN BASEBALL TEAM

May be Managed by Fred Lake

There is a strong possibility that Fred Lake will manage the Lynn team of the New England league next season. Lake and Pres. E. B. Fraser, H. S. Cummings and Frank J. Leonard, all directors of the Lynn team, held a conference last night at the American

FRED LAKE.

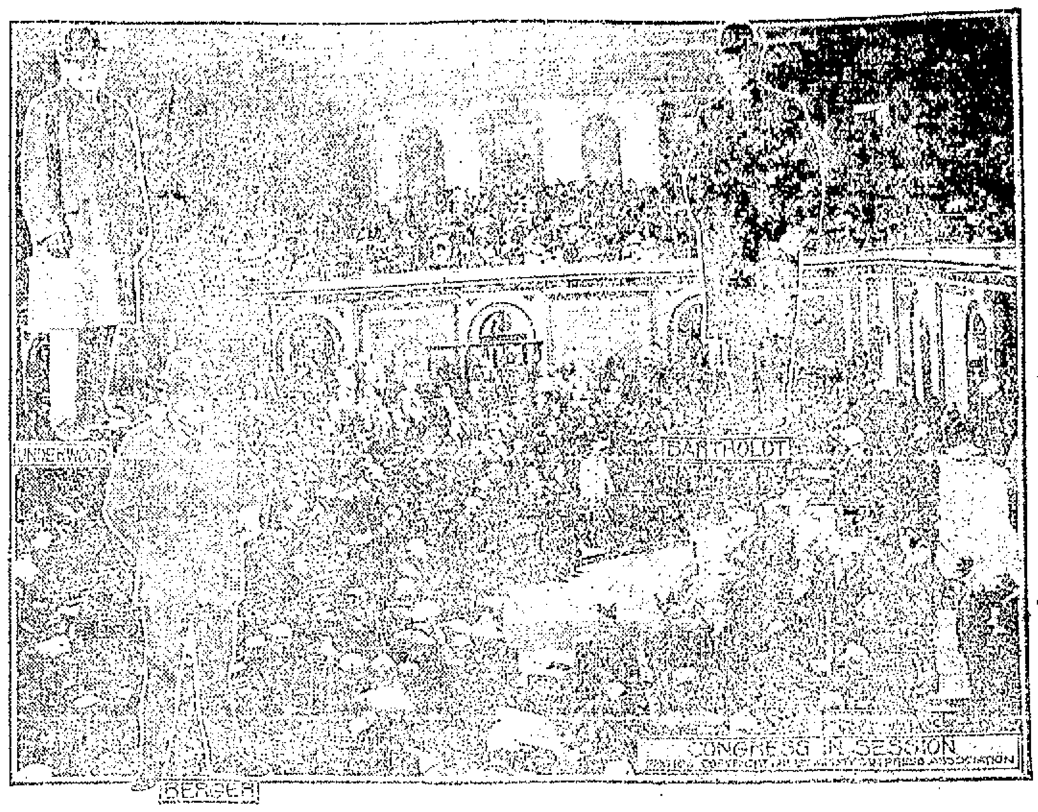
House, during which the baseball outlook in Lynn was thoroughly discussed. Although no definite understanding was received in regard to Lake assuming the management of the team, that matter being delayed until the directors' meeting next Friday night, it was stated that if Lake is selected he will have entire charge of the team.

Frank J. Leonard managed the team last season and his administration of office was commended, but the directors of the club feel that there is need for an experienced man at the helm next season, which promises to be the best in the history of Lynn.

TOM LONGBOAT

LONGBOAT, FAMOUS INDIAN, TO TRY HIS HAND AT FIGHTING GAME

TORONTO, Canada, Dec. 6.—Tom Longboat the famous Indian Marathon runner, has decided to try his hand at the fighting game. For several months he has been practicing daily with the mitts and his friends claim he has developed into a clever boxer. Longboat will make his debut in one of the bouts at the show of the National club here Dec. 1. He will weigh in at 150 pounds.



CONGRESS BEGINS SESSION THAT THE LEADERS EXPECT WILL LAST A YEAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Leaders in congress believe that the present session will last far into next fall and may continue until time for the next session to convene. This view is based on a knowledge of the vast amount of work ahead and on the ambitious legislative program prepared by President Taft. Leader Underwood says that this will be the busiest session in fifty years and that there is little likelihood of an adjournment even during the national conventions next summer. Many important bills were introduced on the first day, Representative Berger of Milwaukee, the only socialist in congress, presenting one which would permit the United States to acquire and operate any business concern that markets 40 per cent or more of the output of the country in one line of products. Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the speaker, and Mrs. Underwood, wife of the democratic leader, were interested spectators on the opening day.

THE GIANTS WON

Whalen Put Up a Great Score Last Night

The Giants turned the tables on the Athletics when they met in one of the games in the Concord league series last night. Whalen was traveling like a race horse and just for that he was high man, having two singles over the century mark and his triple was 304. His good bowling was responsible for the victory.

The Office and Kitson teams of the Machine Shop league clashed on the alleys last night and the former team after a tiring a bad start went right into the game and cleaned up the last two strings and the total, winning the latter by five points.

In the C. Y. M. L. league, Team Three turned the tables on Team One, although the second and third strings were closely fought.

The scores:

CONCORD LEAGUE

Giants

	1	2	3	T'l
Forbes	84	85	93	271
Kennedy	71	69	85	225
Hyland	97	93	90	280
Whalen	102	105	97	304
Cox	67	91	81	259
Totals	441	447	451	1339

Athletics

	1	2	3	T'l
Hayes	70	79	96	245
Moran	98	68	90	246
O'Keefe	74	88	80	242
Cole	88	94	86	268
Wm. King	71	82	90	243
Totals	401	411	442	1254

MACHINE SHOP LEAGUE

Office

	1	2	3	T'l.
Mitchell	80	78	95	253
McKitarick	75	79	84	238
O'Neil	64	73	84	221
Pilkington	86	88	79	253
Baker	83	86	77	246
Totals	388	404	419	1211

Kitson

	1	2	3	T'l.
Harrall	92	77	81	250
Cronin	67	71	81	219
Tucker	81	77	74	232
Langevin	93	83	78	254
Conley	78	81	92	251
Totals	411	389	406	1206

C. Y. M. L. LEAGUE

Team Three

	1	2	3	T'l.
E. Flynn	79	70	84	233
F. Flynn	84	79	74	237
E. St. Ives	88	86	88	262
C. Young	73	92	77	242
M. Flemings	101	85	92	278
Totals	425	412	415	1252

Team One

	1	2	3	T'l.
J. Shea	79	71	78	228
J. Kane	80	78	87	245
W. Maher	76	78	79	233
W. Sullivan	78	98	84	260
T. Roarke	86	82	81	245
Totals	390	410	410	1210

JUDGE RYAN

REFUSED PRISONER'S REQUEST TO BE SENT TO JAIL

HAVERHILL, Dec. 6.—John Farrell, who claims to belong in Holyoke, found yesterday that it was hard to get sentenced to jail. He apeared in the District court, charged with vagrancy, but Judge Ryan refused to find him guilty.

Farrell told the court that he had lived in Holyoke nearly all his life and that he had not been arrested for 21 years. Recently he began traveling about the state in search of work, and arriving here yesterday applied for lodgings at the police station last night.

Judge Ryan remarked that Farrell was not guilty of vagrancy as he was seeking employment and said that he would not be able to commit him. As Farrell still protested against being discharged Judge Ryan finally continued his case until today and asked City Marshal Mack to investigate his story.

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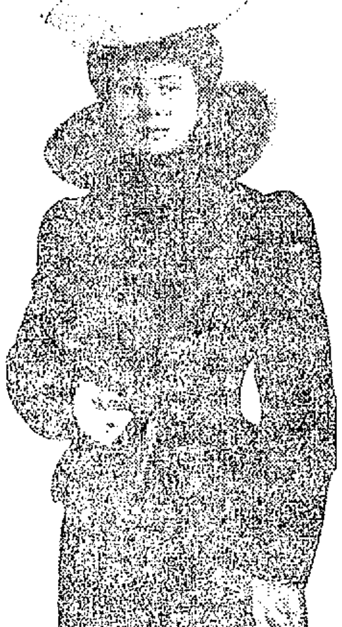
DURLAND'S DEATH

Is Being Investigated by Insurance Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The Equitable Life Insurance society has held up payment on a $15,000 policy on the life of H. Kellogg Durland, who died on the night of Nov. 18 in the stateroom of a train about to leave Boston for New York. His wife was in the stateroom at the time. She said that her husband, from whom she was separated, had urged her to commit suicide with him and when she refused he had taken poison. It is now known that Durland had served papers in a suit for divorce some months before his death. The last premium on the policy was paid by Mrs. Durland only a few days before her husband's death. He was a magazine writer, and she had also written stories and plays. She was once the wife of Robert C. Haines, an actor.



MRS. KELLOGG DURLAND

MANSLAUGHTER

IS CHARGED AGAINST TWO BOSTON DRIVERS

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Two deaths of persons run down in the streets of Boston during the past fortnight resulted in the appearance in the city police court yesterday of two men on charges of manslaughter.

One was Arthur J. McGrail of 221 D street, South Boston, driver of a mail team, who is charged with having run down 75-year-old Ronaldo D. Somes of 271 Tremont street, Melrose, at the corner of Milk and Federal streets, on the afternoon of Nov. 24.

Somes, who was connected with a Federal street hardware firm, was on his way to the North station and McGrail was driving a heavy mail truck to the South station to catch a train.

After the accident Mounted Officer Connolly of the City Hall avenue station gave chase to the mail wagon and help up the driver, who, it is charged, admitted he knew he had struck somebody, but imagined that no serious injury had resulted. McGrail was held in $1000 bonds for a hearing Dec. 9.

The other man arraigned on a manslaughter charge was Ralph M. Ivers of 191 Warren avenue, Roxbury, a chauffeur employed by Henry Waldorf of 21 Irving street.

Ivers is charged with having caused the death of Patrick G. Lyon of 99 Warren avenue as the latter was crossing at the corner of Tremont and Jefferson streets in the South End, Nov. 25. He was held in $1000 bonds for a hearing Dec. 12.

LOSS IS $10,000

General Alarm Was Given in Holyoke

HOLYOKE, Dec. 6—A general alarm was sounded at 6.14 last evening for a blaze in a tenement block on East Dwight street owned by J. H. Fitzsimmons.

The fire caused damage to the block and contents of more than $10,000 before it was extinguished. The blaze started in the boiler room in the rear and spread through the cellar. The water damage on the first and second floors was large.

The tenement of J. A. Jennings was most damaged. The fire is thought to have started from crossed wires in the cellar.

COLORED MAN

TRIED TO SWALLOW GEM, IT IS ALLEGED

PITTSFIELD, Dec. 6.—A well-dressed colored man who gave his name as John Lame of Bridgeport, attempted, it is charged, to swallow a diamond ring in the jewelry store of Edgar R. Whiting on North street, yesterday morning, and would have succeeded, it is claimed, had not the celluloid tag prevented the act. In the Whiting store he is charged with substituting a paste ring in a tray and with trying to swallow the real article.

Mr. Whiting, it is alleged, detected the attempt to substitute the rings and told Lame to give up the diamond. Lame, it is said, claims to have found the ring after the police had been telephoned for. He was arrested as he was about to board a trolley car.

BOXING GOSSIP

One of the most interested men in the bout between Jimmie Moriarty and Honey Mellody before the Lowell Social and Athletic club, next Friday evening will be Hector McInness of South Boston, manager of Jimmie Moriarty as the result of a couple of discussions he has had in Boston within the past few days over the comparative merits of the pair. McInness has been telling the Boston sports that Moriarty has improved wonderfully and will have no difficulty in getting a decision over Mellody. The latter's friends believe that Honey has come back and Honey himself says that after defeating Moriarty he is going after the top-notch welterweights of the country. Mellody has been resting up for some time taking on new strength and is confident that he is as good as when he licked Joe Wolcott. McInness says that if Mellody has come back and is as good as ever, then Moriarty is in the championship, for he can't see where Honey is going to have anything on the Lowell boy and has backed his judgment with a substantial wager. It will seem like old times to see Billy Gardner referee the bout between Mellody and Moriarty for Honey put Billy away in 11 rounds way back in 1903. His victory over Billy brought him into prominence and then he went out and licked such men as Patsey Sweeney, Matty Mathews, George Memsic, Terry Martin, Charlie McKeever, Willie Lewis and a host of others including his two victories over Joe Wolcott. Frank Mantel, Mike Twin Sullivan, and Joe Thomas are among the few who have victories over him. Moriarty's record is well known. He has never been put away and is always in good shape.

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ATTACKED BY BABOON

Mlle. Hathaway Bitten On Hand at Keith's

Mlle. Bessie Hathaway, whose educated monkeys and baboons are one of the big attractions at Keith's theatre this week was severely bitten by the largest of the baboons, just as she was preparing to present her act at the matinee performance yesterday.

The baboon with the other animals had been taken from the animal room which is the basement to the wings, preparatory to going on, and Mlle. Hathaway reached down to get the chain which is attached to the baboon's collar when the animal without warning made a vicious snap at her catching her by the palm of the left hand tearing the flesh. The animal got another grip on her wrist rupturing the radial artery. Mlle. Hathaway's cry of alarm attracted the attention of her brother who assists her in her act and the latter grabbing the first implement he could get his hands on, a stick of wood, laid the animal low with a well directed blow on the head. Miss Hathaway was immediately removed to the office of Dr. J. J. Cassidy, the house surgeon, who after a careful examination of her wounds, dressed them.

The baboon upon recovering from the effect of the blow on the head became perfectly docile again and Mr. Hathaway, taking his sister's place went through the act while the refractory babboon behaved as well as though nothing had happened.

MISS EULAH HITCHCOCK

WOMAN STENOGRAPHER FIGURED IN McNAMARA TRIAL

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 6.—Miss Eula Hitchcock, a stenographer employed by Sam Brown, chief detective for the state in the McNamara case, was largely responsible for the bribery investigation that resulted in the arrest of Bert H. Franklin. Miss Hitchcock who was a confidential assistant to Brown, heard of an alleged plan to "fix" the jury, and she told her superior. A dictograph was then placed in the cell occupied by the McNamaras, and Miss Hitchcock at the other end of the wire overheard conversations that led to the arrest of Franklin.

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Yours truly,
H. N. WHITE.

MISSION OF CHURCH

Socialism Discussed by Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham

The Men's club of the Unitarian church had as its speaker, last evening the Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham, pastor of the Arlington street church, Boston, who spoke on the subject: "The Mission of the Modern Church."

The club met in the church parlors at 6.30 and sat down to a banquet at the close of which Rev. C. T. Billings introduced the speaker of the evening.

Rev. Mr. Frothingham spoke in part as follows:

"At the present time there is a great world unrest. In business life the one topic is the position of monopolies, the elimination of competition, the revision of the tariff and all the other well known topics of men of affairs. In the educational world we hear queries as to the value of our present systems of education, doubts expressed as to the benefit of the so-called "Higher Education" and discussions of almost every other phase of educational work. And so on through all human activities, commercial, educational, political, social and last but not least, judging from the attention paid to it by the press and by the people as a whole, in the religious life of the people, there is this great unrest an unrest the equal of which has never been equaled in its range.

"One of the hard things from a minister's standpoint is his inability to refrain and not refrain from the discussion of the great problems of society in his pulpit. If he fails to deal with the great social problems of the day, he is immediately consigned to the band of the antiques. And if he does deal with them he is promptly criticised by people who feel that the pulpit is not the place for such discussions. When Edward Everett Hale assumed the pastorate of one of our churches he was complimented on his reversal of his predecessor's attitude on the question of peace. Another church was criticised for its non-committal attitude on the subject. Well, this is the position in which the minister of today finds himself.

"Now, of the many problems of the church today, the social problem is foremost. The Unitarian church has always been foremost in the fight for social reforms. I have heard that many western cities have asked for the establishment of Unitarian churches in their community, in order that its influence might be brought to bear on its civic improvement and development. On the other hand, the press at large accuses the church of not actively grappling with the great social evils of the day. It is hard to account for these two attitudes.

"Now, both these attitudes are in a sense right, and yet not wholly so. The reason for this great outcry against the church arises from two great causes. In the first place, there is a great unrest in the world at large. In Turkey, China, Persia, and in all the other countries of Asia, Europe and America we find this great unrest. It is in all the affairs of men, among all classes and conditions. All society seems to be divided into the two great classes of those who have and those who have not. In the second place, the church of today lacks a program. And that is a very fatal defect. The church seems to be an embodied aimless goodness, a bundle of good, but aimless attempts at the world's betterment. Of this latter feeling, socialism is undoubtedly the root.

"Now, whatever else it has, socialism certainly has a program, and one states his program when he states that he is a socialist. There is no wavering on that point. People make all sorts of charges against socialism, but on the score of its platform there is little questioning the fact of its existence. Socialism stands for the elimination of competition, for the sacrifice of the individual in order that the race progress may increase. Society is the main thing with them, the individual is nothing.

"Now the church undoubtedly must busy herself with the great problems of modern society, but the mission of the church is inspiration and not administration say others. We must stand for world peace, the amelioration of all the political diseases and the social diseases of mankind, it must stand for a redistribution of the world's goods. Now what can the church do about it?"

"I have little sympathy with either of these great criticisms of the church. But what are we going to do about it? That is the problem which I am going to try to solve. It must in the first place thoroughly realize its problem and recognize its complication. We have in recent times been looking at the stars through lenses and have discovered a universe so enormous that our minds cannot begin to grasp its immensity. And so the case is with our modern life. We used to hear about how many times the efficiency of a man had been increased by the invention of electricity and all the other marvels of our age. Now we are beginning to consider the meaning of all this power and life to a man. The widening of a man's capacities is the one important thing, his capacities for the enjoyment of the best there is in life.

"The church doesn't believe in going ruthlessly about destroying everything at hand just because it has faults and seems to be useless. The hand of the church is the moulding hand which transforms slowly and certainly the great evils in our modern civilization.

"The church has a great mission. It must persuade people that their great scramble for wealth and happiness must cease. They must be brought to the realization that there is much more that is worth while in life than that; that the happiness of everyone, and not only of themselves, must be sought, if they would attain it. When we consider the diversity of people's temperaments, it seems wonderful that we get along at all together. Now the mission of the church is to bind the whole of humanity together.

"The church is not the enemy of socialism, but is its complement. Socialism may reduce us to a broader level, may eliminate the great physical inequalities of life, may make for the happiness of the race as a whole, but the church must widen the avenues, must widen the individual, must stand for the upbuilding of human character, the character of the individual."

"Say, Doctor, what you suppose ails me, anyway?

"Coffee? Why, I've drank it 20 years, say Doc, quit chaffin', I'm feeling bad.

"Now there goes another of those infernal twists in my right side.

"Coffee congests the liver, you say? So I've got to quit. Well, what do you know about this Postum?

(A month later) "Mornin' Doc, yes feeling fine, thanks. Say, you did give me a scare about my liver, but it was all true, I reckon. "When I quit the coffee and went on with Postum, I began to feel better in two days and now I've quit the army of coffee cranks for good.

"Sure, I belong to the Postum army, and know where my comfort is."

"There's a Reason"

POSTUM CEREAL CO., LTD., Battle Creek, Mich.

(Courtesy of Judge)

LOCAL RAILROAD MAN

TELLS OF HIS GREAT SUFFERING

"The nature of my business frequently necessitates irregularity with sleep and eating," said a well known railroad man recently whose name is temporarily withheld by request. "As a result," continued he, "I was recently attacked with bad headaches and disorders of the digestive organs. My head and stomach gave me considerable trouble, I also found it hard to get as much rest from my sleep as I ought to get. I would become fatigued more readily than during my previous good health and it was difficult to get relief. I had tried other means to restore me to my normal condition without result, when a friend suggested that I try a bottle of 'Tona Vita.' I took his advice and am glad I did. My appetite improved immediately. My headaches became less frequent and finally disappeared. My stomach is now in perfect condition and I can sleep well at night.

"I consider 'Tona Vita' about the best tonic I ever used, and am pleased to have this opportunity of recommending it to my friends, or anyone who might be in need of a preparation of this sort to build up the system. It made me eat and sleep better than I had eaten or slept for a long time, and after taking it I got more benefit from food and rest than I ever got before. Judging from my experience, I regard 'Tona Vita' as the best medicine ever sold here."

Thousands in Lowell are afflicted with the same trouble in a more or less aggravated form say the specialists who are here introducing "Tona Vita."

"The strain of modern city life," said one of these specialists recently, "causes irregularities with regard to sleeping and eating, produces a most miserable condition of the body, which is known to us as nervous debility, that modern plague whose chief symptoms are: Imperfect digestion, bowel trouble, nervousness, depression of spirits, little vitality, headaches, backaches, sluggish mind and poor memory, dull pains in the back, poor circulation, cold feet, susceptibility to coughs and colds, dizzy spells, spots before the eyes, uneasy sleep and poor appetite.

"'Tona Vita,'" continued he, "will remove this condition, affording the right food material for a complete rejuvenation of all organs and their restoration to a healthy, normal condition."

"The "Tona Vita" specialists are explaining the nature of their remarkable remedy at Attil & Lyon drug company, and are meeting the public from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily.

CONTESTS WILL

WOMAN FIGHTS LEGACY TO HER STEPMOTHER

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Wilhelmina Schaus Junkin, wife of Joseph DeForest Junkin, yesterday filed in the supreme court notice of contest of the will of her father, Herman Schaus, formerly an art dealer in New York. She charges her stepmother, who is also her aunt, with having induced Mr. Schaus to change his will against the interest of his daughter.

Mrs. Junkin names as defendants in the suit to break the will, Mrs. Sophie Johnson Jones-Schaus, her stepmother; Hermann Schaus, her 4-year-old half-brother; Adolph Schaus, her uncle, and the Guaranty Trust company, as trustee. Mrs. Sophie Jones-Schaus, the widow, and her son, Herman Schaus, are now in St. Louis.

Mr. Schaus left an estate, the contestant asserts, valued at more than $600,000. He gave Wilhelmina Schaus Junkins, daughter of his first wife, the income from only $60,000 and two portraits. He left $50,000 each in trust also for his son by the second wife and Adolph Schaus, his brother. The residue was left to the widow.

The first wife of Herman Schaus and mother of Wilhelmina, was Emily S. Johnson, daughter of J. B. Johnson, a St. Louis physician. In February, 1907, some time after the death of the first Mrs. Schaus, Mr. Schaus married Sophie Johnson Jones, another daughter of Dr. Johnson, and the widow of Alfred H. Jones.

CLAIM SALVAGE

CREW PUT ABOARD AN ABANDONED BARGE

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Enough salvage money to buy Christmas presents for their families may be collected by the five men composing the boat's crew from the Boston-bound steamer Ontario, who, according to a wireless message yesterday afternoon, were put aboard the barge Henry Clay, sighted abandoned off the Jersey coast.

The wireless was meager in details but as another steamer had taken off the barge crew some time before the Ontario hove in sight, it is clear that Capt. Bond of the Ontario and his men have a claim for salvage money in case they assist in finally bringing the Henry Clay to port somewhere. The Ontario is bound here from Baltimore, Newport News and Norfolk with passengers, and is due today, the last message from Capt. Bond saying the men from the Ontario was aboard the barge.

The Henry Clay was one of a string of three barges that were being towed from Philadelphia by the tug Gettysburg. She is bound for Boston and has 1012 tons of coal on board for the Metropolitan Coal company of this city. The barge broke away Monday from the tug, and the latter, after taking the other two barges into Delaware breakwater for anchorage, went out searching for the Clay.

MISS DRAPER DEAD

High School Teacher Passed Away

The many friends of Miss Charlotte F. Draper, a former teacher at the Lowell High school, will be pained to learn of her death, which occurred at her home, 51 Washington square, Salem, Mass., yesterday afternoon. The news of Miss Draper's death will come as a sad shock to all her associates at the high school and to the thousands of pupils who were fortunate to study under her watchful care.

Miss Draper started the school year but remained at her desk only two weeks as she was stricken with a painful attack of rheumatism. She was then making her home with Mrs. J. W. B. Shaw, 63 Dover street, but in order to recuperate she went to her own home, in Salem. At that time it was only temporary, but a complication of diseases set in and she finally succumbed yesterday afternoon.

Deceased was a woman of great refinement, gentle in manner and with a wonderful personality that made her the friend and often the confidant of her pupils. With the exception of Miss Webster, she was the oldest teacher in point of service in the school, having performed those duties for 41 years. Her subjects were Latin, geometry, astronomy and geology.

Miss Draper received her early education in the Salem public schools, later attending and graduating from the Salem Normal school. She taught school for several years in Flushing, L. I., Tewksbury, and in 1870 she started at the Lowell High school, teaching there till last October, when she was taken ill.

Deceased will be buried in Salem and her funeral will take place at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

LAST LECTURE

IN SERIES BY REV. SARAH A. DIXON

Rev. Sarah A. Dixon gave the fifth and last lecture in her series on "The Ring and the Book" yesterday afternoon the subject of her closing discourse being "A Philosophical Study of a Death Sentence." The lecture was intensely interesting even as were its predecessors and those who have attended the series regret its ending.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Samuel H. Hines lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night. There was a large attendance and considerable business was transacted during the evening. A committee of three was appointed to meet with a like committee from Columbia council, 33, O. U. A. M., to make arrangements for a grand gala night, at the rooms of the O. U. A. M., in the near future.

Next Tuesday night, Dec. 12, the rank of esquire will be worked by the famous rank staff of Hines lodge, on 16 pages for Wamesit lodge, 25. The staff will appear in their new uniforms, which have been secured at a large expense, and all members of the order are invited to be present. Four applications were read by the K. R. S. and others are on the way. Much sympathy was expressed for Brother Dr. Charles W. Taylor in his sickness, and hopes for a speedy recovery were general.

Pilgrim Fathers

One application for membership was received at last night's meeting of Garfield colony, U. O. P. F. Under the good of the order, a donkey party brought forth peals of laughter. On the evening of December 19, action will be taken in regard to changing the night of meeting.

Women's Relief Corps

The members of B. F. Butler, Women's Relief corps, met in regular session last night. Prior to the business meeting a regular old fashioned New England dinner was served.

Memorial services in honor of Mrs. Marie Chase, J. V. P., and Mrs. Bickford will be held at the next meeting, December 19, commencing at 8.30 p. m., to which all their relatives and friends are invited. The following officers were then elected: President, Miss Emma J. Ober; senior vice president, Mrs. E. B. Ober; junior vice president, Mrs. Bessie Cummings; treasurer, Mrs. Eliza Goodwin; chaplain, Miss Sophia Baker; conductor, Mrs. Helena Quinn; guard, Mrs. Simmons; delegate, Mrs. Bartlett; alternate, Mrs. Cummings.

Betsey Ross Circle

Betsey Ross circle, 24, held its regular monthly supper and meeting last night, with a good attendance. One new member was initiated, new officers were elected, and other business of importance was transacted.

L'Union St. Joseph

The regular meeting of l'Union St. Joseph, was held last night in the society's rooms in St. Joseph's building, Dutton street, with President Joseph P. Marchand in the chair. Considerable routine business was transacted and it was announced that the election of officers for the coming year will be held at the meeting on Dec. 26.

The C. M. A. C.

The attendance at the regular meeting of the C. M. A. C. last night was very large. The meeting was held in the club rooms in Pawtucket street, President Xavier Deffele in the chair. Four new members were initiated and 60 applications for membership were received. The feature of the evening was the nomination of officers for the coming year. For president there will be no contest at the election, as Vice President Joseph Payette is the only candidate. The election will be held at the next meeting, Dec. 19.

J. N. Jacques Council

A large meeting of J. N. Jacques council, U. St. J. Bte. d'A., was held last night in the Centralville Social club rooms. The meeting was presided over by President Albert Marcotte and considerable business was transacted. The election of officers for the coming term was held with the following results: J. A. N. Chretien, president; Pierre C. Gagnon, vice president; Elphege Beaudette, secretary and collector; Adolphe Bouchard, treasurer; Pierre A. Brousseau, master of ceremonies; Joseph Bissonnette, marshal; A. Harnois and J. Rheault, auditors; Albert Marcotte, honorary president; John H. Beaulieu, dean.

The installation of these officers will be held at St. Louis' convent hall on Sunday, January 21, when the officers of the three local councils of the union will be installed.

Laval Council

The regular meeting of Laval council, U. St. J. Bte. d'A., will be held tonight at the Notre Dame de Lourdes parochial school hall in Middlesex street, and the main feature of the meeting will be the election of officers for the coming term.

Molly Varnum Chapter

Molly Varnum chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met yesterday afternoon at the Spalding house in Pawtucket street. Mrs. Mary P. Morrison, sister of Dr. M. G. Parker, president general N. S. S. A. R., presented the chapter an old English tall clock. The presentation was made by Miss M. Ida Howe for Mrs. Morrison and the regent Mrs. C. E. Howe, accepted the gift for the chapter. Mrs. C. O. Charles, who was to speak before the chapter was not able to be present on account of sickness in the family, but she will speak at some future time. Refreshments were served by the social committee, Mrs. Mary Holden and Miss Lina Parker poured.

QUICK, PAINLESS WAY TO REMOVE HAIRS

(Beauty Culture)

A chance discovery by a noted chemist has resulted in a new and harmless way to remove hairy growths without the least possible injury to the skin. A paste is made with ordinary powdered delatone and water and applied to the hairs not wanted. After two or three minutes this is rubbed off and with it comes every trace of hair. The skin is then washed and it is left white, firm and smooth.

The delatone treatment for superfluous hairs is so simple to use and so quick in action that no one is justified in employing the painful and costly electric needle. Delatone costs a dollar for an original ounce package, and is worth every cent. Any druggist can supply it.

From the Heart of the Wheat

Comes the delicate flour.

There's only a little.

And around it lies gluten that's hard and tough—bothersome in baking.

To pick this cream of the flour from the ordinary, we sift it ten times—

Ten times through fine silk.

And only the daintiest particles, sifting through, go out as Gold Medal Flour.

The rest we deem unfit.

Do you want all of the flour, or just the best of the flour?

Will you have milk and cream, or just the cream, when both cost an equal price?

There can't be any question.

Then in ordering, Madam, don't merely say "flour." That means any flour.

Say the flour you want—say—

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Washburn-Crosby's

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

ARRESTED SAILOR

HE IS CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED LARCENY

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Frank A. Warren, 18 years old, who was in sailor's clothes and who claims to be a seaman aboard the battleship Nebraska, was arrested by the Malden police last night, charged with attempting to break and enter the clothing store of Benoit Blanchard Co., in the Malden Auditorium building. Another sailor, who was with Warren at the time, escaped.

At 10 o'clock last night the police received a telephone message from Manager Rollins of the Malden Auditorium that two men were acting suspiciously in the rear of the store. Police Officers Maher and Osterlind were sent there and nabbed Warren in the yard in the rear of the clothing store. A light of glass and an iron screen had been removed from a window, it was found.

THE CLIFFORD CONCERT

The management of the Lowell Opera house announces the engagement of the Thomas E. Clifford company for a concert on Sunday night, Dec. 10. That means a concert of great merit that will delight all who attend. The program will include principally Irish songs and ballads. Mr. Clifford has surrounded himself with a group of artists who will do ample justice to the Irish classics which are recognized the world over as among the sweetest melodies known. As for Mr. Clifford, it needs only to be said that he is the man who originally sang "The Holy City" in America, and did more than any singer to introduce it to the people of this country; also that he was among the first in America to make a feature of "The Palms," a hymn which he sang in "The Old Homestead," as a member of Denman Thompson's famous company. With Mr. Clifford Sunday night will be: Elmer Crawford, violinist; Miss May White Mullen, soprano; Miss Reta Treffrey, pianist; Miss Helen Trask, contralto; Mr. John F. Cook, tenor; J. Fred O'Connor, pianist; Charles Sturtevant, character singer.

Seats for the concert are now on sale at the Opera House.

FOOTBALL NOTES

The Bartlett grammar school rugby team will have to meet the Edson football team before they claim the championship of the grammar schools of the city. Send all challenges to James O'Dea, 295 Central street, City. We would also like to play the Meody or Varnums.

THREE THINGS EVERY WOMAN SHOULD KNOW

(Annie Ely in the Graphic)

"If you want long, wavy and lustrous hair, use a dry shampoo, for soap and water fades the hair and makes it brittle. Just mix four ounces of therox with four ounces of cornmeal, or with four ounces of powdered orris root, sprinkle a tablespoonful of this mixture on the head; then brush thoroughly through the hair.

"A lovely, soft and youthful complexion can be brought about by applying a solution made by dissolving a small original package of mayatone in eight ounces of witch-hazel. Make the solution yourself and gently rub into the face, neck and arms night and morning.

"For eczema and other skin diseases, there is nothing better than Mother's Salve. It heals old sores, cuts, burns and scalds, and the world never saw its equal as a cure for coughs, colds and catarrh."

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

The governor's council can show no good reason why it refused to confirm the appointment of Prof. Droppers to the railroad commission.

Champ Clark is confident the democrats can't lose in next year's contest. If Mr. Clark does not control his tongue better than he did last year he may make it quite easy for the democrats to lose.

The Brockton Times suggests a commission for the street department of that city. Brockton should adopt the commission form of government and then she would have a commission in charge of every municipal department.

President Taft after a tour of the country in defense of his vetoes of the wool and cotton bills has apparently reached the conclusion that he will have to sign bills of much the same character. He has felt the popular pulse and his tariff board will doubtless report accordingly.

The fight against tuberculosis can be helped along by putting a few Red Cross stamps on your Christmas parcels before mailing. The stamps will not pay postage but they will aid a good cause. By a rule of the postoffice these stamps are to be put on the reverse side of the mail matter.

The proposition for overhead or underground sidewalks for Washington street, Boston, is not feasible or if so is not desirable. Better relieve the street of cars, make it a one way street, extend the sidewalks and enforce the rule that travel on the opposite sides shall go in opposite directions.

There is a great deal of criticism of Italy's course in executing some treacherous Arabs who as supposed non-combatants attacked the Italian troops from behind. Italy did only what any other nation would do under like circumstances. When Turkey massacred thousands of Christians in Armenia the sensational sheets did not have much to say about the atrocity.

Collier's Weekly has a humorous reference to the premature rejoicing among republicans in Boston on election night when it appeared to the overconfident that Frothingham was elected by a majority of 40,000. Senator Lodge said the tariff argument set forth by himself did it, and one Mr. Reynolds, a member of the Taft tariff board, was also enthusiastically of the same opinion. Both gentlemen almost hugged each other with joy, when in tumbled another batch of returns showing that after all it was not the tariff, not even Frothingham but Foss, Foss "the detestable" but inevitable Foss. The two gentlemen suddenly felt a chill in the atmosphere; they saw the handwriting on the wall and with ominous shakes of the head they went away back and sat down, and yet what they said was true—"the tariff did it."

RUSSIAN AGGRESSION IN PERSIA

Russia is reaching out to throttle Persia. She has always had a desire to extend her dominion in that direction, and England in the past has been so jealous of any Russian advance toward India that it is somewhat surprising that she is not protesting against the present act of aggression. It is very plain that Russia has forced the quarrel with Persia on pretexts that with a larger power would never pass for a casus belli. The powers should interpose to prevent Persia being despoiled of her independence because she refuses to accept intolerable dictation from Russia in affairs which are purely Persian. Russia had better mind her own business. She has more territory now than she can make good use of. It is not so long ago since she was practically whipped by her agile neighbor, Japan. She may soon get into another war that will reduce her possessions still further if she persists in despoiling weaker powers as she proposes to do with Persia.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

President Taft's message delivered to congress yesterday dealt entirely with the trusts and the operation of the anti-trust law. He takes the position that the law is working all right as now being applied by the government and under the new interpretation by the supreme court which he says is but a different form of expression from that of previous decisions and based upon excepting from the operations of the law the combinations held to be reasonable under the common law. He seems to be well satisfied with the manner in which the dissolution of the Tobacco Trust has resolved the company into its component parts, although nothing that he has to say can be accepted as proof that the Tobacco Trust is not still doing business at the old stand, still controlling the price of tobacco all over this country, still one of the greatest monopolies within the boundaries of this republic.

The president admits that there is a lack of definiteness in the statute that may call not for repeal but for supplementary legislation which will prohibit unfair methods of stifling competition and thus establish a monopoly. This should be a criminal statute that would shorten the government task by punishing single misdemeanors instead of dealing with the operation of years as an entire conspiracy. He reiterates his recommendation of January 7, 1910, for an act of federal incorporation and favors a federal corporation commission and government administrative experts to aid the government in trust dissolution.

The message presents nothing new and nothing that the president has not already said in his speeches; but it embodies in definite form his present attitude in regard to trusts and the application of the Sherman law. His recommendations are lame in the fact that the application of the law to the great trusts does not, as he assumes, terminate the trust in the monopolistic sense. The trust will continue to do business and to control prices in spite of dissolution and the reorganization which Mr. Taft affects to believe eliminates the trust proclivities. The remedy which he says is working all right is no remedy at all.

SEEN AND HEARD

That there are honest people in the world and that it pays to advertise in The Sun was demonstrated Monday when a woman from Pelham, N. H., lost a purse containing a considerable sum of money. Immediately upon discovering her loss she hastened to The Sun office and inserted a "lost ad." Four hours later a man called at The Sun office with the purse. He lives in Eighteenth street and he explained that his daughter picked it up in the Knox Five and Ten cent store.

The man who tells you the funny things his children have said will be fittingly punished when these smart children grow up.

Impulsive people have need to be good apologizers.

A parent's life is one long responsibility. It's a wonder that so many of the genus discharge their duties so acceptably. A writer has discovered another parental problem; or perhaps he merely calls attention to one which many fathers have discovered for themselves.

"How's the family?" one inquired of a happily married West Sider yesterday.

"Well, my children are at a difficult age now."

"Difficult? Why, they're all passed the measles and teething stage, haven't they?"

"Long ago. But you don't know a father's troubles. My children are at the age where if I use slang my wife says I'm setting a bad example. And if I speak correctly the kids think I'm a back number. Which would you do?"

Workers are, doubtless, they who shall inherit the earth. But certainly dolent natures, gifted with wit, can afford to take occasional chances as residuary legatees. A writer tells of one such fellow, a freshman in a noted physicist's class.

The freshman, who was a lanky youth, sat in the rear seat. His attitude was sprawling, and he was either asleep or seemed to go to sleep.

"Mr. Fraser," said the physicist sharply, "you may recite!"

Fraser opened his eyes. He did not change his somnolent pose.

"Mr. Fraser, what is work?"

"Everything is work."

"What! Everything is work?"

"Yes sir."

"Then I take it you would like the class to believe that this desk is work?"

"Yes sir," wearily, "woodwork."

THE OLD CAB HORSE

Kelcey sits at his liquor, while I stand here in the rain,
Shy of blankets and hungry, too, and stung by rheumatic pain;
Mangy and scarred and limpy, with a harness that hangs askew—
Do I look like a one-time show horse? Do I look like a horse to you?

Well, I've jangled a golden trapping—me, that's not fit to shoot;
Though Kelcey he calls me Peter, my name was registered Canute.
Hooked to the Rich's carriage, I carted the unown swells—
But now I'm hauling a hansom that's reeking with musty smells.

Swaybacked, spavined and feeble—a risk for a three-block drive—
I used to rank as a winner, though I seem but barely alive.
Well I recall my glory; mated with Irish Lass,
We were shown six lines of the Garden and beat the world in our class.

Pulling a plush-lined carriage, we were a pair to see;
A lordly driver upon the box and a footman at either knee,
And the Riches were proud to own us, for it gave them a sort of fame,
But they weren't too haughty to let us go when the horses passed from the game.

Now the Lass; she's over in Jersey pulling her share of a dray
With a runner that won a Brooklyn lack in another day,
While I wait here in the gutter, where I'm spoken as Kelcey's Pete,
And wishing a pedigree two miles long was good for a horse to eat.
I'm dreaming here of a heaven where the honking horns are stilled;
Where each garage is a stable, and the stalls in each are filled;
I'm dreaming of heated stables, and the grooms and the larded bins—
When the Riches' automobile sports past and the mudguards bark my shins!

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Worcester Post: What may lead to international action to stay Russia's "criminal aggression" against Persia is promised by inquiry threatened now in the British parliament. A thorough uncovering of the case can have only one result. Meanwhile W. Morgan Shuster—who received the announcement of his selection for his present post, while in Worcester as a guest of its board of trade, seems to have a united Persia back of him in his attitude of defense of its integrity.

HARRY LAUDER SLIGHTED

Fall River Globe: It has been pointed out that seven of the twenty men named by Andrew Carnegie as being the most distinguished in history were Scotchmen, but what surprises the Buffalo Times is that Harry Lauder should not have been one of these.

NEWSPAPER ART

Boston Herald: Henri Bergson's definition of laughter as a form of social censure was inverted at the Twentieth Century club Saturday in the condemnation poured out there on the "comic supplement." The trouble with this "outgrowth of journalism" is that it treats children as beings on a low plane of intelligence, to whom only the crude and inane, the gross and the exaggerated, can be made to appeal. Even literature has receded from this ancient conception of the youthful mind, and we now have far fewer of the namby-pamby, goody-goody, hardy-gurdy books which household shelves and village libraries used to be encumbered with half a century ago. There is still less room for a disparaging view of juvenile capacity in the realm of art. Young people who are old enough to read a newspaper are old enough to appreciate good pictures. They strike the eye at once; they need no pedagogue to make them intelligible; they can be read at sight without the aid of a dictionary. It is an abnormal child that will not instantaneously reject a bad piece of pictorial art for a good one.

QUIET LOCATIONS FOR SCHOOLS

Brockton Enterprise: The great anti-noise promoter in New York, Mrs. Rice, has started a plan for quiet zones for schools. She wants to get them away from places where there is ever the distraction of noise and attractions outside the building. Admirable idea. Many schoolhouses are located by school authorities with this end in view, but in many cases the location of schools is such that there is a constant riot just outside the windows all day long. The scholar who can do his best work in such a school is a wonder at concentration. As a matter of fact, especially with young children, noise outside means a very perceptible loss of interest in studies and an increase of nervous tension, irritability and even illness. Every school should be if possible placed off the traveled main streets and as near to quiet and peace as is possible in cities and towns today.

WILD ANIMALS EAT HINDOOS

Brockton Times: The British king and queen will be entertained for a while in a land that affords perhaps the best facilities in the world for being eaten by wild beasts, though we may assume that their majesties will be properly guarded against any such unhappy fate. In India, according to figures recently compiled, 24,878 persons were killed by wild animals last year, and the number of human victims is rising steadily. The number of animals killed was 110,386. Of the human victims, however, 22,478 were killed by snakes, which can hardly be considered in the wild animal class. Of the quadrupeds the tiger is most terrible, being responsible for 852 deaths, while 1421 tigers were killed. Some have called the leopard more dangerous, but last year his victims were but 251, not many more than the 219 devoured by the wolf pack. India is a very old and densely populated country, but much of it is still given over to jungle, especially on the east side of the plateau. Moreover, the natives are, for the most part, unarmed, and too poor to buy guns, so that a maneater may ravage the countryside for some time before disposed of. Especially dreaded is the vicious el plant. Of these but 22 were killed in 1910, while 55 persons were killed by elephants. When the colonel again goes hunting he might go where he would do the most good.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

In celebration of the 20th anniversary of the inauguration of Dr. Chas. F. Thwing as president of the Western Reserve university, the trustees of the university have formally presented to the university a portrait of President Thwing, painted by the English artist, Herman Harkemer. The portrait is a three-quarter length oil painting, and at the request of the trustees, President Thwing sat for it when in London last summer. It will be placed in the trustees' and faculty room of Adelbert college. The portrait was accompanied by a presentation letter, which expressed the appreciation and congratulations of the trustees, and extolled President Thwing and his administration.

Charles J. Chamberlain, assistant professor of botany at the University of Chicago, is doing research work in the Far East. In the course of his investigations Professor Chamberlain will visit eastern and southern New Zealand, eastern and western Australia, and southern and western Africa.

The famous lucky petticoat of the Stroud family is now on its way to McKinney, Tex., where Miss Rosabel Hines will be the 19th bride to wear it. The petticoat was made 55 years ago by Miss Emma Stroud at Madison, Ga. She saved it for her daughters and now her granddaughters are wearing it.

J. T. Trowbridge, now in his eighty-fifth year, sailed from Boston Saturday on the White Star S. S. Romanic for Genoa. This will be Mr. Trowbridge's ninth trip to Europe. He will spend the winter on the Riviera, incidentally visiting Monte Carlo and other noted resorts. Mr. Trowbridge is in the best of health and looking forward to his trip with all the enthusiasm of youth.

Through the generosity of William Metcalf, Jr., '01, of Pittsburgh, two scholarships have been established in the Cornell college of law in memory of Alexander Hugh Ross Fraser, late librarian. The scholarships are to be awarded at the beginning of the senior year upon the basis of high standing in studies and character, the senior class electing the holders, from a list of eligible men submitted by the faculty. By vote of the senior class the first scholarship of $100 has been awarded to W. B. Flannery of Addison, N. Y., and the second of $50 to N. E. Wait of Fort Edward, N. Y.

A gift of $50,000 worth of vacuum cleaners has been made to the Red Cross to be used as prizes for those who sell the most Red Cross seals, the money from which goes to fight tuberculosis. Some of the prizes will be stationary vacuum cleaning systems, worth about $3000, and awarded to schools in thirteen states and New York city selling the most Red Cross seals. One hundred suction cleaners, worth about $65 each, are prizes for individuals.

Mt. Merci Convent and Academy corporation has been incorporated at Waterville, Me., for the purpose of maintaining a boarding school for girls, under the control of a Roman Catholic sisterhood. An estate of 40 acres with a large house and other buildings for the farm has been secured. Rt. Rev. Louis Walsh, bishop of Portland, is president of the corporation, and the treasurer and clerk is Emma St. Onge, who is the head of the school.

Mrs. Mary L. Carver, widow of Hon. Leonard D. Carver, retired on December 1, from her position as cataloguer of the Maine State library, at Augusta. Mrs. Carver, whose maiden name was Mary Lowe, is a native of Waterville. She was the first women student of Colby college at Waterville after that institution opened its doors to women, and for two years was the only woman student there. Her graduation in 1875 is claimed to have been the first graduation in New England by a woman who had taken the full classical and mathematical course prescribed for the men students in a college. She taught in high schools until her marriage. Her husband was for twenty-one years state librarian, and under his direction the collection of books was changed from a "bit-or-miss" lot of printed stuff to an orderly and useful, as well as valuable, state library. Mrs. Carver's intelligence was a great help to her husband, and gradually the work of cataloguing became her direct care. After his death seven years ago she was retained in that work. Nearly all of the more than 120,000 cards in the card catalogue are filled out in her legible penmanship. Mrs. Carver is a member of many literary societies and of the Unitarian church, but her chief pride among her affiliations is the college sorority, Sigma Kappa, of which she was one of the organizers of the first chapter.

WRINKLES VANISH WHEN THIS IS USED

"The hand of Time will touch lightly the cheek that avails powders or cosmetics," says Mrs. Mae Martyn, authority on beauty, in the Sacramento Post, "and uses instead a simple lotion made by stirring 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine in ½ pint hot water, then adding 4 ounces spurmax. Many, however, prefer witch-hazel to water, as with the former it dries more quickly.

"This is applied sparingly to face, neck and arms, then rubbed lightly until it vanishes. After a few times using, wrinkles and fine lines vanish, the oily, sallow or 'muddy' color disappears, and pimples and blackheads are eliminated. The value of this lotion over the face powder quickly manifests itself as it is invisible when on and it does not spot or rub off."

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ILLUSTRATED HEALTH TALK

Dr. R. J. Meigs and Rev. C. T. Billings will be the speakers in the Health Talk Course at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. Stereopticon views will be used to illustrate the subject, "The Conservation of the Senses." The lecture will begin at 7.30 p. m. Ladies as well as gentlemen are invited.

How to Destroy the Dandruff Germ

BY A SPECIALIST

That the dandruff germ is responsible for nearly all the diseases to which the scalp is heir, as well as for baldness and premature gray hair, is a well known fact, but when we realize that it is also indirectly responsible for many of the worst cases of catarrh and consumption, we appreciate the importance of any agent that will destroy its power. We are, therefore, particularly pleased to give herewith the prescription which an eminent scientist states he has found, after repeated tests, to completely destroy the dandruff germ in from one to three applications. It will also almost immediately stop falling hair and it has in numerous cases produced a new hair growth after years of baldness. The prescription can be made up at home, or any druggist will put it up for you: 6 ounces Bay Rum, 2 ounces Lavona de Compose, one-half drachm Menthol Crystals. Mix thoroughly, and after standing half an hour it is ready for use. Apply night and morning, rubbing into the scalp with the finger-tips. If you wish it perfumed, add half a teaspoonful of To-Kalon Perfume, which unites perfectly with the other ingredients. While this preparation is not a dye, it is unequalled for restoring gray hair to its original color.

Caution: Do not apply where hair is not desired and be sure to avoid tonics containing poisonous wood alcohol.

Before publication we presented this prescription to the Riker-Jaynes Drug Co., this city, and they state that they have filled it many times for their patrons who report most astonishing results from its use.

COURT WAS CLOSED

Because of Epidemic of Smallpox

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Dec. 6.—The serious epidemic of smallpox in this section of the state kept every one of the jury panel from attending the December term of the Caledonia county court which opened yesterday. Although it is considered that the spread of the disease has been checked, President C. S. Caverly of the state board of health instructed the men that they had better remain at home.

As a result, Judge W. W. Miles announced he would not hear any cases that require a jury or witnesses. Other business will be done, and the court will take a recess until the danger passes.

In various places near St. Johnsbury there have been several hundred cases. Four cases in Lyndon, north of St. Johnsbury caused considerable alarm.

Except for the cases in Lyndon there has been no spread of the disease during the week, but there are still many cases in families previously infected. The towns having one or more cases are Danville, Walden, Hardwick, Greensboro, Craftsbury, Sheffield, Stannard and Lyndon.

No deaths have been reported, but physicians fear the cold weather may result fatally in some instances.

JAIL SENTENCE

FOR THE ALLEGED ROTTEN EGG KING

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Louis Strudler of the firm of Blinder & Strudler, wholesale butter and egg merchants at 197 Duane street, was sentenced yesterday to serve 30 days in the city prison after being convicted of selling rotten eggs for food.

Two informations came before the court. The first charges that on June 5 the defendant had for sale three 30-pound cans of liquid rots and spots. The second charge was that on Sept. 15 he had 7½ cases of rots and spots still unbroken.

Dr. McMillan of the department of health testified that he made an examination of the eggs and found them putrid and unfit for human consumption.

Justice McInerney, who was presiding, said that the courts had convicted many little egg dealers. What he wanted was to get one of the men higher up in the industry.

"You have one of them before you," replied Assistant Corporation Counsel Harry Sullivan. "This man is one of the rotten egg kings of New York. He has made a big fortune by selling rotten eggs for food purposes to small dealers and bakers.

HELD SMOKE TALK

A very successful smoke talk was held last night in the rooms of the Pawtucketville Social club in Moody street under the auspices of the "Calsse Nationale de Benefices," a branch of the Artisans Canadiens Francais. The affair was presided over by L. C. Gelinas, who was presented by W. W. Thibodeau.

The program consisted of a game of whist, songs and recitations, those taking part being David Houde, A. Cote, Henry Daigle, J. Ayotte, O. Hebert and A. Fionet. Refreshments, pipes and tobacco were served.

The lucky number prizes were given out as follows: First prize, a handsome wicker chair, O. Cote; picture frame, David Houde; parlor table, O. Chandonnet; art square, Miss Corinne Alexander.

The committee in charge consisted of P. Leblanc, A. N. Boulais, G. Rivard, J. E. Lambert, S. Matton and President W. W. Thibodeau, ex-officio.

LADIES' AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

The Ladies' auxiliary, A. O. H., met in regular session last evening and attended to considerable important business, chiefly the election of officers for the coming year, which resulted as follows:

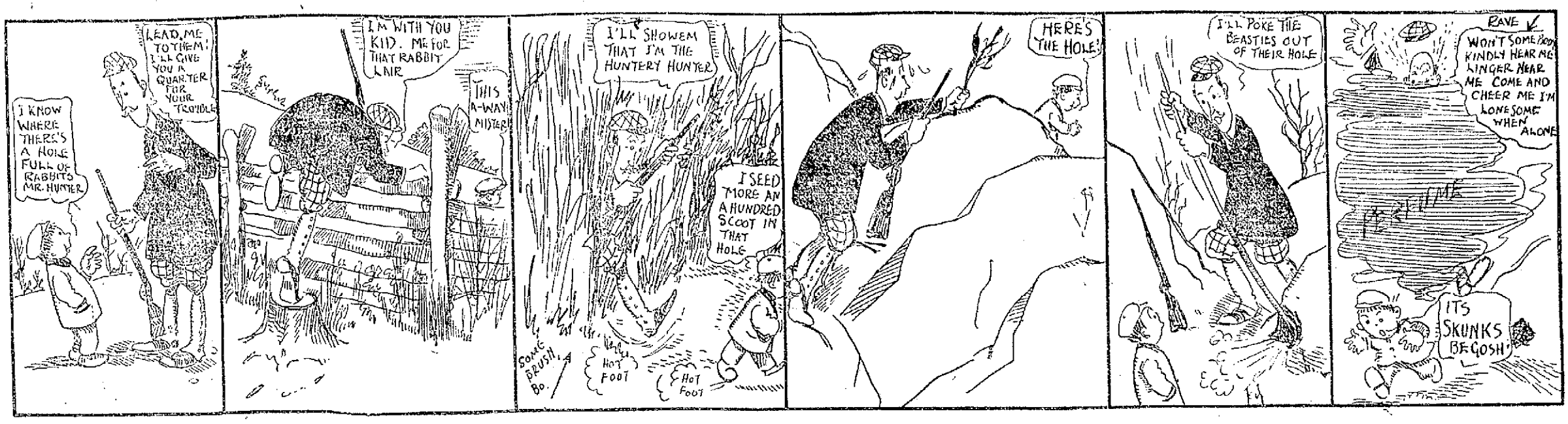
President, Miss Delia T. O'Brien; vice president, Mrs. Nellie Haviland; recording secretary, Miss Catherine A. Gaffney; financial secretary, Miss Delia Clancy; mistress at arms, Miss Delia Fitzgerald; sentinel, Mrs. Curran; physician, Dr. Boyle; spiritual director, Rev. Dr. Keicher; pianist, Miss Mollie Handley; committee on sick, chairlady, Miss Lucy Sheridan, Miss Mary Lee, Miss Mary Rogers; finance committee, chairlady, Mrs. Catherine V. Lyons, Mrs. Norah Sheridan, Miss Delia Conway; standing committee, chairlady, Mrs. McLoughlin, Mrs. Reilly, Mrs. Reardon, Mrs. Ogg, Miss Nellie Kelly. The installation of these officers will be held in January.

SHORT LASHES DETRACT FROM NATURAL BEAUTY

The long fringe of silken, curly eyelashes lends a subtle charm and attractiveness to expressive eyes, and if the lashes are short and thin they should be gently brushed each day, then pyroxin applied to the lash roots with thumb and forefinger. This treatment induces them to grow long, thick and silky, with a rich curl.

Thin eyebrows can be made to come in thick and silky by applying the pyroxin with the finger tips each day. Any druggist can supply pyroxin in a 2-ounce original package for about a dollar, and no harm can possibly result from its use. Care should be taken, however, not to get any where no hair is wanted.

MR. I. L. SHOWEM GOES RABBIT HUNTING



SELECTING A JURY

To Try the Indicted Chicago Meat Packers

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Selection of a jury in the United States district court to try ten indicted Chicago meat-packers on the charge of criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law was expected to begin today before Judge George Carpenter. The packers are J. Ogden Armour, Louis F. Swift, Edward F. Swift, Charles E. Swift, Edward Tilden, Arthur Meeker, Edward Morris, Francis A. Fowler, T. J. Connors, Louis Heyman.

Rumors of new moves by the packers were many. One was that the packers would appear and plead guilty. This would make useless all the results of months of investigation and preparation on the part of the government, would place the packers in no greater jeopardy than an unsuccessful outcome of the case, which would otherwise drag on for months and, many contend would put the packers in a better position than they would be in if they lost their suit.

AMERICA'S RELIGION

Is Non-Religion Said Rabbi Fleischer Last Night

At a meeting of the Lowell Congregational club held last night in the Trinitarian church, Rabbi Charles Fleischer of Boston, spoke on "America's Religion." Mr. Fleischer was introduced by the club president, Rev. A. F. Dunnels, and said in part:

"America's religion is in the main non-religion. Not more than 35 per cent. of the population is affiliated with one or the other of the religious organizations; and that includes the very latest, Christian Science, and Mazdaznanism—made in Lowell. I am not pessimistic for that reason: on the contrary, I feel today that the non-religion of America is prophetic of the finer religion that is to be.

"If you ask me why there is a non-religion in America today, it is mainly because the Hebraic-Christian cult which we have imported into America had its origin in Asia and was brought here from Europe, and does not fit America. It seems strange and foreign to us, and instinctively we will have none of it.

"'Judaism was an ethnic faith.' I believe that here in America we shall develop an ethnic faith. Christianity was simply Judaism plus, or, from one point of view, Judaism minus; for I can see that much was lost in going from Judaism to Christianity. But from the viewpoint of Christians, Christianity was the ancient agricultural religion plus the other-worldliness of the life of Jesus and his immediate successors. It did express the thoughts and aspirations of the primitive Christians; but travel westerly, and you will find that this type of religion fitted less and less, the people to whom it came. Import it into America, and you find the Old Testament Christians, the Puritans, attempting on this American soil to establish practically a commonwealth of the time of the judges in Palestine. That worked well while the little group remained puritan. But as the population became varied,—as those came over whose ancestors missed the first boat—the Puritan religion less and less fitted American life, because less and less it represented what Americans really believed in, what they really were concerned for. Less and less it had to do with our actual relationships as a people. Therefore we find a John D. Rockefeller, a god from whom oil blessings flow, a Morgan, the organizer and Morganizer of our industries, and a James Schiff, Jew of Jews, and yet another benevolent assimilator of American capital and common-wealth.

"Let preachers thunder as they may, while they use the ancient injunctions, while they cite the ancient authorities and say 'Thus saith the Lord,' Somehow they fail to touch these men and their millions of followers and imitators. The Hebraic-Christian cult, imported from Asia through Europe, does not, somehow, fit. It is the religion of a little group of agriculturists living in Asia, plus that other—worldliness that came from Jesus and his immediate successors.

"Our religion as a people must be the spiritual expression of our characteristics, our qualities, our relationships; must be the idealism of our active interests.

"Do not tell me that such a religion will be cold-blooded and merely intellectual and scientific. Take the story of the creation, in the first chapter of Genesis. That story is a scientific statement of the belief of a seer of that day, regarding the religion of the world and man. There is nothing essentially warm about that, but we lived with it long enough to make it take on spirituality and to be infused with moral warmth."

Contrasting a modern astronomical calculation, and its suggestion of infinity, with the book of Genesis, he said, "Relatively and absolutely, it is more spiritual, compared with the naive utterances of that ancient seer or the cosmogony; much more spiritual than this bit of ancient heritage of scientific teachings which we find in the first chapters of the Bible."

Mr. Albert Edmund Brown was the soloist of the evening and, before the dinner, there was a social half hour, with an organ recital by Miss Mabelle Sullivan.

Rev. F. G. Alger reported for the home work committee, on the special

REV. F. G. ALGER,
Who Reported For Home Work.

work of the various churches in the city. Harold A. Varnum, for the membership committee, proposed two names and they were voted into membership in the club. Mr. Alger also, for the home work committee, offered a resolution which was adopted, instructing the secretary in behalf of the club to urge the United States senators throughout the state to support President Taft in his effort to secure peace treaties.

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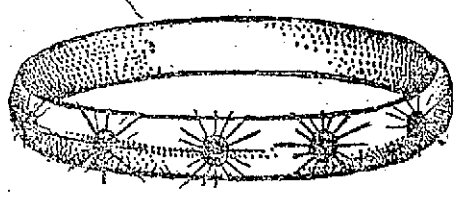

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SUES FOR $10,000

Woman Alleges Breach of Promise

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Alexene Hadlock of Winthrop and Roxbury entered suit in the superior court yesterday for $10,000 against Charles J. Gorman, a theatrical manager, for alleged breach of promise. Mrs. Hadlock is the widow of the late Harvey D. Hadlock, who was a prominent lawyer. Mrs. Hadlock declares that Mr. Gorman promised and agreed to marry her; that he courted and protested his love for her several years in messages sent by mail and by telephone and by oft-repeated avowals of undying affection, made by him in person.

She alleges that in token of his affection for her, he gave her various gifts, namely: A solitaire diamond ring, a gold locket inscribed with her and his initials, which also contained a photograph of him; glass tableware engraved with the surname initials of the defendant as a contribution to the equipment of the home to which he promised to take her when he made her his wife.

Her Guest Each Sunday

She further alleges that for many years he called upon and dined with her as her guest every Sunday; consulted with her in the purchase of hosiery, clothing and articles of personal adornment for herself, for many of which, she alleges, he paid with money procured from her.

He deferred marriage on one occasion, she alleges, on the ground that the divorce granted to a former wife legally barred his marriage at that time. On another occasion, she says, he postponed the wedding because of a death in his family. During all this time he escorted her to social gatherings and places of public amusement, introduced her to his friends and acquaintances and conducted himself generally and openly as her accepted suitor.

Relying upon his declarations and manifestations of love and devotion, and in consideration of his promise to marry her, and sympathizing with him in the adversity which pursued, or seemed to pursue, his business enterprises, and being affectionately anxious to aid him, she alleges, she gave him large sums of money.

She also says that she gave him, at different times, three automobiles; that she paid his office rent, telephone bills, and other expenses of his business. She also alleges that she provided clothing, living apartments, food, laundry service for him when he was without means to provide for himself. She says she believed he loved her and that she loved him and relied upon his promise to marry her and at all times she has been ready and willing to marry him, but he has refused to carry out his program.

HARRIMAN WAS BURIED

Socialists Meet Serious Reverse in Los Angeles Election

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 6.—Socialism as enunciated by Job Harriman and Alexander Irving went down to defeat in Los Angeles yesterday by an overwhelming majority. Mayor George Alexander, leading the good government forces, was re-elected by a majority that will reach 40,000 over Harriman, the socialist candidate. Indications early today are that the entire good government ticket has been carried to victory in the landslide.

Harriman made a surprisingly poor race. In many precincts where he had a majority in the primaries a month ago he fell far short in yesterday's balloting. In his own precinct he lost by a vote of 1537 to 192.

"It was the vote of the women that returned Alexander to office and snowed under the socialists," said Field Captain Jeannette Converse of the Woman's Progressive league. "Out of a registration of approximately 70,000 women 35 per cent. voted and of these 75 per cent. voted for Alexander."

Three hundred incomplete precincts showed clearly that the prohibition amendment was lost.

WIFE MISSING

HUSBAND SAYS SHE TOOK BAGGAGE WITH HER

TOPSHAM, Me., Dec. 6.—Joseph Hill Foster, a Cathance farmer, reported yesterday that his wife was missing.

She disappeared Monday, he claims, at or about the same time that H. H. Gilmore, the Maine Central railroad station agent at Cathance, also dropped out of sight. Mrs. Foster took a trunk and suit case with her and left no word with her husband, nor did Gilmore, so far as can be learned, notify the railroad officials of his departure.

Mr. Foster said last night that he had not yet decided what course of action to adopt.

Mrs. Foster was formerly Evie Hunter, the daughter of a farmer of this town. She is about 32 years old and had been married to Mr. Foster some years, but they had no children.

Gilmore had been station agent at Cathance for five months, coming here from Detroit, Me.

M. E. SUPERINTENDENTS MET

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—The tenth convention of the New England Superintendents of the Methodist Episcopal church was held today with 17 delegates present and Rev. H. B. Haskell of Maine presiding. Secretary Shaw of St. Albans stated that the convention would discuss many subjects connected with the denomination with the idea of making suggestions to the general convention next May.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Lowell, Wednesday, Dec. 6, 1911

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Black Cat Hose For Women

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, extra heavy, double toe and heel.....Only 9c a pair
3 pairs for 25c. Reg. price 12 1-2c pair

Ladies' Tan Cotton Hose, Maco yarn. Only 9c a pair
3 pairs for 25c. Were 12 1-2c pair.

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, double soles and heels. Were 25c. Only 12 1-2c a pair

Ladies' Tan Cotton Hose, Maco yarn. Were 25c.....Only 12 1-2c a pair

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, ribbed, very elastic. Were 25c. Only 12 1-2c a pair

Ladies' Black Fleeced Hose, double soles, ribbed. Were 25c.....Only 15c a pair

Ladies' Black Merino Hose, double soles. Were 25c.....Only 12 1-2c a pair

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, full fashioned. Were 25c.....Only 17c a pair

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, white soles, double heels. Were 25c. Only 17c a pair

Ladies' Heavy Black Fleeced Hose, double soles. Were 25c.....Only 17c a pair

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, outsizes, double soles. Were 25c. Only 12 1-2c a pair

West Section—Left Aisle

Black Cat Hose For Children

Children's Heavy Black Cotton Hose, triple knee, double toe and heel. Only 9c a pair
3 pairs for 25c.

Children's Heavy Fleeced Hose, double linen knee.....Only 9c a pair
3 pairs for 25c.

Children's Heavy Merino Hose, double knee and heel. Were 25c.....Only 15c a pair

Children's Black Silk Lisle Hose, triple knee. Were 25c.....Only 12 1-2c a pair

Children's Tan Silk Lisle Hose, triple knee. Were 25c.....Only 12 1-2c a pair

Children's Tan Cotton Hose, triple linen knee. Were 25c. Only 12 1-2c a pair

Children's Extra Heavy Fleeced Hose, triple knees. Were 25c.....Only 15c a pair

West Section—Left Aisle

Black Cat Hose For Men

Men's Black and Oxford Gray Wool and Cashmere Half-Hose, medium and heavy weight.....Only 15c a pair
2 pairs for 25c. Regular price 25c pair

Men's Heavy Cotton Hose, black and tan, double heel and toe.....Only 9c a pair
3 pairs for 25c. Regular price 15c pair

Men's Fine Cotton and Lisle Hose, black and colors, extra fine, re-enforced heel and toe.....Only 15c a pair
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East Section—Left Aisle

THE FRENCH GUARDS

To Have Armory of Their Own in West Centralville

In two weeks ground will be broken for an armory in West Centralville, for the use of the French guards of this city. This building which according to plans will be a magnificent edifice will be erected on Riverview street by the members of Garde Jacques-Cartier. The guards first proposed to build a large hall in that vicinity, but later plans were changed and instead an armory will be constructed.

At the present time there are five companies of French guards in the city, and they cannot secure a proper place for drilling purposes, but with the new building their wants will be satisfied.

Contractor H. O. Drolet is now working on the plans which will be finished in a couple of weeks at which time the work will be started and pushed hurriedly. The building will be a wooden structure 50x120 feet, two stories high with two towers. It will be equipped with large circular top windows and circular top doors. The basement which will be well lighted will contain bowling alleys, pool and billiard tables and shower baths, as well as a small gymnasium.

On the street floor there will be a large entrance leading into the arcade. On this floor will be a smoking room and ladies' reception room as well as a checking room; these apartments to be in the front part, while on the same floor will also be a drill room and an open staircase leading to the second floor. The drill room will be 50x100 feet. The floors all over the building will be of maple, while the inner walls will be sheathed. In the drill room will be installed 20 circular windows, thus making the place well lighted.

The second floor will contain six rooms for the officers and members of the guard. These rooms will be well furnished and the approximate cost of the building will be $10,000.

The contractor expects to have his plans finished in two weeks, and the work will be started at once under his supervision, while the workmen will be all members of the guard.

The drill room will also be let for meeting purposes and it is probable that it will be equipped with a stage and all facilities for amateur performances.

Garde Jacques-Cartier was instituted about three years ago and it now has a membership of 35 men, all active workers. Joseph L. Pigeon is the captain and president of the organization and under his command the guard is progressing rapidly. The building it is expected will be completed in the early spring at which time a grand social event will be held.

THE REPUBLICANS

WILL BE ASKED TO MEET IN ST. LOUIS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—St. Louis wants the national republican convention and an organized effort was started today to persuade the members of the national committee when they meet here next Tuesday to choose that city. Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel, Missouri's member of the national commission, has been conducting a quiet campaign for some time in behalf of his home city and he was reinforced today with the arrival of Governor Hadley of Missouri and Postmaster Aiken of St. Louis. Sidney Bieber, the member from the district of Columbia, is strongly in favor of St. Louis and will join in the movement for sending the convention there.

The progressive members of the committee will urge that presidential primaries be held for the selection of delegates to the national convention. Friends of President Taft contend that the national committee should leave the manner of selecting delegates to the republican state committees. President Taft will give a dinner at the White House to the members of the committee on the night of Dec. 11.

WOLGAST IS IMPROVING

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 6.—Another favorable bulletin was given out last night on the condition of Lightweight Champion Wolgast.

"He is doing fine and will be out in no time. There are no signs of any setback in his condition" said the bulletin.

IN A BAD CONDITION

Continued

in a wretched condition. There are trees which obstruct traffic and while heavy vehicles are bothered, electric cars, light delivery wagons and other vehicles meet with difficulty, and pedestrians are also inconvenienced.

While the double railing of the street is one of the principal causes of trouble there are various other reasons. The street in the first place is not up to grade and even the curbings and cross walks are in such a condition that it is dangerous for drivers of automobiles, wagons or pedestrians to go through the street.

It is only about four years ago that the administratrix of the Barrows estate at Davis square gave the city four feet of their land in order to widen the square and street, but the city failed to remove a number of trees which are a source of annoyance as well as danger to people.

There are two large trees on the western side of Gorham street, near Madison street, which project into the road, and are a danger to carriages and automobiles. Just a short distance above there is another tree which abuts on the street, while on the other side of the street there are two trees. Near several of the trees there are ruts which alow the wheels of a wagon to drop into the declivity and cause the hood of the carriage or automobile to strike the tree which generally means the loss of a cover.

Near Butler avenue there is another tree which enters into the street making it dangerous for traffic. Near Carter street there is a tree which should be lowered.

The conditions in Gorham street are such that they should be attended to at an early opportunity. A good start has been made in the repaving of the lower end of the street, but there should be something done, and done at once, in the other portion of the street.

Aside from the fact that the street is narrow and there are many trees in the way of vehicles, making it dangerous for travel, the pavement is so bad that it is a menace to people who have occasion to pass through that street. There is more heavy traffic through Gorham street than in any other street in the city. All of the heavy vehicles which convey goods from the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad storehouses pass through Gorham street, the majority of coal houses in the city are located in that vicinity and their wagons traverse the street and many other trucks pass over that thoroughfare. Many times it is necessary for some of the heavy vehicles to enter a side street either to escape coming in contact with an electric car or to avoid the rough pavements.

Capt. Charles D. Foley of Engine 1, of the fire department, is one of the main boosters for the improvement of the street, for he as well as many others has had occasion to feel the effect of the deplorable state. It is a well known fact that every time the members of Engine Co. No. 1 are called out on an alarm they have to pass through Gorham street. Care has got to be taken in order that the apparatus is not smashed to pieces or that the men are not injured.

The dangerous portions of the street are many, but according to Capt. Foley, there is no worse place than at the corner of Gorham and Moore streets, where it is necessary for the drivers of the different pieces of apparatus to bring their vehicles almost to a standstill in order to travel over the depressions and uprisings.

Speaking about the poor condition of that particular part of the street it might be well to say that during the stormy weather there is a flood of water near the corner of Gorham and Moore streets which makes it almost impossible to cross the street.

THE BULL IN THE CHINA SHOP

Lowell, Wednesday, December 6, 1911

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

We Place On Sale Today

A SPECIAL LOT OF

HORSE BLANKETS

Which are slightly damaged by fire, smoke and water at ONE-HALF the regular price.

STREET AND STABLE BLANKETS, SUMMER STABLE BLANKETS AND COOLERS AT GREAT SAVINGS.

Heavy Street Blankets

In all sizes, striped and checked, very slightly burned on the edges. $1.50 to $2.50 value, at each............ 89c

Square Blankets

Very heavy quality, striped and checked, made with a seam in the centre. Damaged by water. $1.00 to $2.00 value, at, each............ 35c

Also about 25 Burlap Stable Blankets, slightly burned. $1.00 value, at, each............ 50c

Summer Stable Blankets

Made of good burlap, all sizes, slightly damaged by water. $1.00 and $1.50 value, at, each............ 50c

Horse Coolers

Large sizes and large assortment of plaids, slightly damaged by smoke. $1.50 value, at, each............ 75c

THURSDAY SPECIAL

125 Wool Blankets at

$2.00 Each

Just received from the manufacturer 125 single blankets, made of fine California wool, nicely finished with taffeta binding, blanket made to retail at $6.50 pair. Thursday special, each............ $2.00

HUCK TOWELS

Extra large and heavy union huck towels, plain and colored borders, 19c value, at, each............ 10c

GINGHAM

One case of good dress gingham in remnants, checked and large plaids, 10c value on the piece. Thursday special, yard............ 5c

YARD WIDE PERCALE

Good quality of yard wide percale in remnants, 10c value. Thursday special, yard............ 5c

TABLE OIL CLOTH

5-4 wide oil cloth, white and colored, 20c value. Thursday special, yard............ 12½c

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GOOD JUDGMENT SUGGESTS

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE LOWELL, MASS. HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE ATTRACTIONS

ANOTHER ONE OF THOSE BIG FINE BILLS. ASK THOSE THAT HAVE SEEN IT. WE RESPECT OUR PATRONS' OPINION.

MR. P. WALDRON EDMUNDS'

Concert and Vaudeville Entertainment

KITSON HALL, Y. W. C. A., JOHN ST.

Wednesday, Dec. 6, 1911

At 7.45 P. M.

Tickets 25c. Reserved Seats 50c.

For sale at Kershaw's, 115 Central st. Turcotte's, 319 Merrimack st., or at doors.

GRAND

Operatic Concert

By Artists from the Boston Opera House

TOMORROW, Thursday, at 8

COLONIAL HALL

TICKETS 50c TO $1.00

For sale at Steinert's, 130 Merrimack street. The Hume Piano Used.

MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE

SPECIAL ATTRACTION

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday

"ARRAH-NA-POGUE"

An Irish Drama in Three Acts

Biggest and Best Photo-Play Ever Produced

Other Attractions

Wiley-Kelman Co.

RELIABILITY

214 MERRIMACK STREET

The Snappy Christmas Values

At "The Store of Quality" this week, and your appreciation of our Special pricings, as an inducement to turn the early shopping movement into an accomplished fact, was fully borne out Monday and Tuesday. We thank you sincerely for your generous response and we urge a continuance of enthusiasm for the balance of the week. The Special prices named in Monday's advertisement on HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, HOSIERY and NECKWEAR holds good until and including Saturday, December 9. Two additional items—WAISTS and CORSETS—Nemo Corsets, if you please, at very much below regular prices, just for Bargain Thursday.

Remember the Waists and Corsets are for Thursday Only

In case you've forgotten Monday's advertised items, just ask your friends who already have purchased, or better still, here they are in condensed form:

25c Armenian Hand Sewn, Lace Edge Pure Linen Handkerchiefs ..15c Each, $1.75 Doz.

25c Plain Hemstitched Pure Linen. 12½c Each, $1.50 Doz.

25c Swiss Embroidered Lawns. 12½c Each, $1.50 Doz.

No. 817 Pure Linen, Wreath Initial, the best value ever offered, per box of six 65c

Innisfail Hand Embroidered Pure Linen. 25c and 50c

Lace Edge Dimities, very desirable 12½c

Children's Linen, Hemstitched, Initial, per box of 3 ....25c

Children's Lawn, colored borders, per box of 3 15c

Men's Pure Linen, Hemstitched, Initial, box of 6 65c

Men's Pure Linen, Hemstitched, plain, each 12½c

Men's Pure Linen, Hemstitched, Initial, Old English letter 25c

Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched, initial 50c

Men's 50c Pure Silk Sox, plain and combination colorings 40c

Men's Silk Sox, black, navy, gray, tan 25c

Men's Silk Lisle, black, navy, gray, tan...25c

Lawn Aprons, beautifully trimmed, 25c, 50c, 75c

50c Neckwear numbers 25c

12 Button, White Washable Dogskin Gloves, $1.98

$1.50 Black and White Dogskin Gloves, Imported cape stock with spear point embroidery, $1.00

Waists for Bargain Thursday Only

300 Tailored Waists, six very pretty patterns to choose from. They are sold in other stores in the city for 98c, and we consider them a bargain at that figure. You may choose Thursday in fancy Christmas boxes at only............ 79c

Not More Than Two to Any One Customer.

Nemo Corsets at Half Price

Models 320 and 405, sold all over the United States at $3.00 and $4.00 respectively. Our price for Bargain Thursday, pair............ $2.00

Hathaway Theatre

Gartland & Shapiro, Lessees

FAREWELL APPEARANCE —OF THE— DONALD MEEK STOCK CO. —IN—

"Hello, Bill"

(A Screamingly Funny Farce)

Popular Prices. Matinees Daily

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NEXT WEEK

The Brown-Horton Stock Co., in

"The Chorus Lady"

Lowell Opera House

Julius Cahn, Prop. and Mgr.

TONIGHT

AND THURSDAY, DEC. 6-7

Matinee Thursday

The Merry Musical Extravaganza

THE CAT AND THE FIDDLE

Harry Watson and Co. of Forty

Prices—Night 25c to $1. Mat., 15c, 25c, 50c

SATURDAY, DEC. 9

Imperial Russian Court

Balalaika Orchestra

Prices, $1.50, $1.00, 75c, 50c. Seats Wednesday

SUNDAY NIGHT, DEC. 10

Thomas E. Clifford

And Company In

IRISH SONGS AND BALLADS

Prices, 50c, 35c, 25c, 15c. Seats now

Academy of Music

AMATEURS TONIGHT

And we are all ready for them. Your money back if we do not make you laugh.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE Julius Cahn Prop. and Mgr.

Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 6-7

MATINEE THURSDAY

CHARLES A. SELLON'S MERRY MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA AND STUPENDOUS TRICK SPECTACLE

THE NEW AMERICAN PANTOMIME

The Cat and the Fiddle

With the Eminent Comedian HARRY B. WATSON as the Care-Free "Happy"

A Cheerful, Comical, Tuneful Fantasy.

"The Cat and the Fiddle" proved to be one of the most amusing and interesting novelties of the season. It is a production with unusual stage settings, novel features and unique scenic tricks, with pleasing comedy and many musical numbers admirably presented.

It is a long time since a similar production has been seen in this city, but it reminds one of the days of Hanlon's Superba, The Devil's Auction and similar plays that depend upon novel tricks and stage effects for their success, but "The Cat and the Fiddle" has the added advantage that it contained the best things seen in such spectacles and many startling features that were original and decidedly interesting.—Portland, Me. Argus, Nov. 28.

PRICES NIGHTS—$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c. MATINEES—15c, 25c, 50c.

THE CITY ELECTIONS

Were Held in a Number of Massachusetts Cities Yesterday

MAYORS ELECTED

CITIES	MAYORS ELECTED	Pluralities
BROCKTON	*Harry C. Howard	—
FALL RIVER	**Thomas F. Higgins, D	—
FITCHBURG	Frank G. Hardy, C	276
GLOUCESTER	*Isaac Patch, N. P	85
HAVERHILL	**Edwin H. Moulton	—
HOLYOKE	*J. J. White, R	1187
MARLBORO	J. Henry Gleason, R. C	485
NEW BEDFORD	*Charles S. Ashley, C	—
NORTHAMPTON	W. H. Feiker, R	327
QUINCY	E. R. Stone, R	2024
SPRINGFIELD	**Edward H. Lathrop, D	—
TAUNTON	N. J. W. Fish, I. R	263
WALTHAM	P. J. Duane, D	179

*Reelected. **Elected in 1910 for two years.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Thirteen Massachusetts cities held their annual elections yesterday, and although the license question was a live issue in almost every instance, all but one held firm to their position. The exception was Gloucester, where a license majority of 377 was registered as against a no-license majority last year of 283.

Of the 13 cities only three now remain in the "dry" column—Brockton Quincy and Waltham. Other cities voting yesterday were Fall River, Fitchburg, Gloucester, Haverhill, Holyoke, Marlboro, New Bedford, Northampton, Springfield and Taunton. Three of the cities, Fall River, Haverhill and Springfield, did not elect a mayor yesterday, interest being centered upon the choice of aldermen and school committee. In every city where a mayor was elected there was a contest.

Mayor Charles S. Ashley of New Bedford won the most notable victory. He was a candidate on the Citizen's ticket for a 15th term, and won by a comfortable margin in a field of three. There was also a three-cornered fight in Brockton, where Mayor Harry C. Howard was re-elected.

With many persons watching in New Bedford, because of the reports of vote buying there in other elections, no trace of anything wrong was found. The defeated candidates declared the election had been clean and the state police corroborated this.

Patrick J. Duane, democrat, was chosen mayor of Waltham, defeating Charles E. Getchell, republican, by 179 votes Mr. Duane is the first democrat elected to the office since 1896, and the second since Waltham became a city.

Judge William S. Woods was defeated for re-election as mayor of Taunton by Nathaniel J. W. Fish. The city again declared for license.

The democrats retain control of the Northampton city council, although their candidates for mayor, Timothy J. Collins, was defeated by William H. Feiker, republican. The license advocates increased last year's majority by 100 votes.

Haverhill for the second successive year voted for license, increasing the majority of 215 last year to 369. The surprise of the election was the defeat of Alderman Killam and Bean.

Marlboro provided a surprise in the defeat of John J. Shaughnessy by J. Henry Gleason, who was elected mayor by a majority of 485. The license majority was cut 297 votes, but the city remains in the "wet" column.

In Fitchburg, Mayor Fred O'Connell was defeated for a fourth term by Frank O. Hardy by 276 votes. Mayor O'Connell ran as an independent citizen and Hardy was the candidate of the citizens' party. The city declared for license of the fifth consecutive year.

Fall River democrats for the first time elected their candidates for the school board. On the license question the yes vote was increased by 326. The majority last year for license was 1642 and this year it is 1968.

Quincy is again in the republican column, the city giving Eugene R. Stone a big vote for mayor. He defeated James E. Wall, democrat, by a margin of 2024. The city voted for no license, but the majority of last year was cut by over 200 votes. The republicans have 20 of the 23 members of the council.

THE BADGER GAME

Alleged to Have Been Worked by Woman

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 6.—Counsel for Josephine Joy "threw up the sponge" before Federal Judge Charles P. Orr yesterday afternoon, and the suit of her husband, Almer V. Sturtevant of Boston against Willis B. Sterling, an Erie merchant, demanding $25,000 damages for the alienation of his wife's affections, failed.

That Mrs. Sturtevant, or "Josephine Joy," as she is known on Broadway, had admitted herself to be one of the cleverest badger-game workers and blackmailers in America, was the theme of several depositions filed by New Yorkers. That she "badgered" victims from the time she was a student in the Boston Conservatory of Music is said to have been her boast.

Neither Sturtevant nor the woman was in court and Judge Orr immediately found judgment in favor of Sterling, who is one of the wealthiest merchants in Erie. Sensational charges covering a period of several months had been made against him by Sturtevant.

Notable among the depositions filed were those of Helen Dwelle Jenkins, who was named last summer in the smuggling scandal; Richard Parr, deputy surveyor of the port of New York, Van Ness Norwood of the New York World and A. S. Phillips of the New York Times.

The Parr deposition contained nothing about alleged blackmail, but those of Norwood and Phillips contained the story of the woman's own admissions, made to them in New York city.

Among the rich men she is said to have fleeced was named a Boston banker, whom, she said, she had "shaken down" for $1000 after he had paid her tuition in the Boston Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Jenkins is brought into the case through Josephine's alleged efforts to "make a touch" for $2500. According to letters filed with the depositions, the latter is said to have wanted the money to fight the suit "before they find out that I am living with my husband."

Norwood declares that she called her husband a "catspaw" and sometimes used him in her work.

When asked why she was not satisfied with the money she received from acting, she is said to have remarked that she liked the "zest" of blackmailing.

She is alleged also to have said that she used bellboys at hotels to help her. They were paid, she is alleged to have said, to note the exact time men entered and left her room.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE

CAUTION.

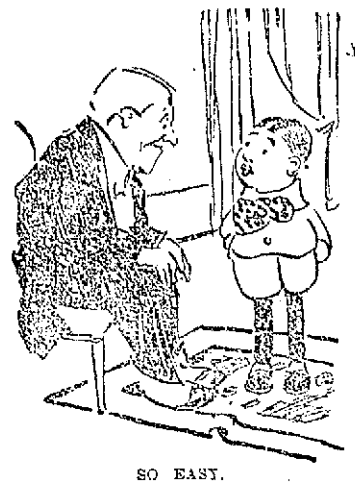
Speak gently. It is better far,
At least while feeling ground.
The man may be a pugilist
And heavy on the pound.

Find the man who did not speak gently.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.

Upper right corner down, at right shoulder.

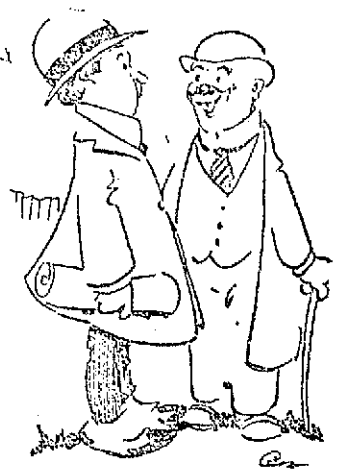
A LITTLE NONSENSE



SO EASY.

"Yes, Willie, when the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock it was dreadfully cold and they suffered terribly."

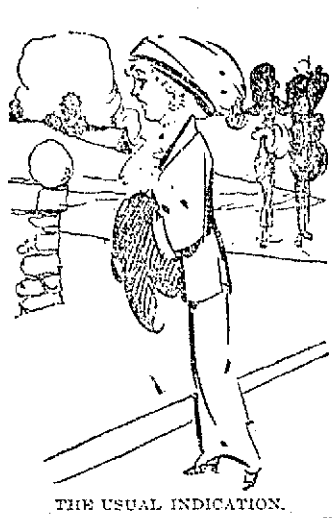
"Why didn't they go to Florida for the winter?"



GOT ALL THEY HAD.

"Tom has broken with his relatives."

"But he broke them before he broke with them."



THE USUAL INDICATION.

"Has Grace finally given up all thoughts of marrying?"

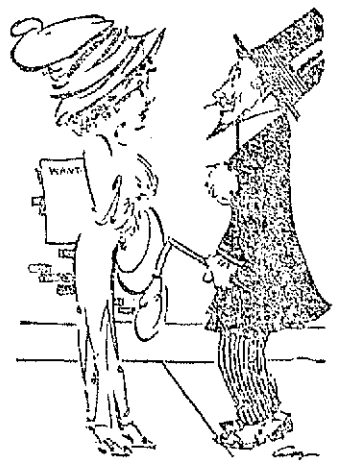
"I guess so. She has taken up bridge."

AT THE MASQUERADE BALL.

"You have no idea how perfectly lovely you looked in your disguise!"

"Do you think so?"

"Yes, indeed! I was surprised when you unmasked!"



FORTUNATE.

Count—Ze weather is so queer over here. I must get my overcoat out.

Heiress—How lucky!

Count—In what way?

Heiress—That you haven't lost the ticket.

HIS JOB.

"Did you have any thrilling experiences in the Alps, Mr. Pumper?"

"Oh, yes, Miss Plumper. On one occasion I was forced to act as the chauffeur of a snowslide."

EX-GOV. FOLK

INVITED TO THE JACKSON DAY BANQUET

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Former Governor Folk of Missouri has been sent an invitation to attend the Jackson day banquet to be held here Jan. 8th. Senator Stone of Missouri protested to the committee in charge when he found that the former governor's name did not apear on the guest list along with that of Speaker Clark and others who have been mentioned in connection with the democratic presidential nomination. It was explained that the guests were selected by states rather than with reference to their being presidential possibilities and that Mr. Folk's name had not been left off intentionally. Then the invitation was telegraphed.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Board of Railroad Commissioners. Boston, December 4, 1911. (5540.)

On the Petition of the Lexington and Boston Street Railway Co., for approval of location for one pole on Concord road near Davis road in the town of Bedford, established under an order of the selectmen of said town dated August 31, 1911, the Board will give a hearing to the parties in interest at its office, No. 20 Beacon street, Boston, on Friday, the eighth day of December, instant, at ten-thirty o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof once prior to said date in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, to serve a copy hereof on the Town of Bedford, and to make return of service at the time of hearing.

By order of the Board,
CHARLES E. MANN, Clerk.

Stove Repairs

We carry in stock and furnish linings, grates, covers, centers, water fronts, etc., for all kinds of stoves and ranges. Work done at lowest prices. Bring size and name of stove, or telephone 1977-1.

Quinn Furniture Co.

160 Middlesex Street

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Steam dyeing and cleaning of ladies' and gents' wearing apparel. 30 years' experience at this work. 39 John st.

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To Be Held At

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Thursday, Friday, Saturday

DECEMBER 7, 8, 9

FREE TO THE SICK

It matters not the name of the disease you are suffering with, how many Physicians you have taken treatment with, do not be discouraged. DR. TEMPLE'S TREATMENT WILL CURE YOU.

All Blood, Nerve and Rectal Diseases, Acute and Chronic Blood Diseases of Men and Women, Hydrocele, Varicocele, Stricture, Prostatitis, Piles, Fistula, Fissures, Ulcers and all Rectal Distases Without the Use of the Knife. Diseases of the Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Bladder, Bowels, Rectum, Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat.

Terms are always made to suit the convenience of anyone applying for treatment, and very reasonable charges. Do not treat elsewhere until you have investigated methods and terms. Office, 97 Central street, Mansur Block, Wednesdays, 2 to 4; 7 to 8. Sundays, 10 to 12. Other days by appointment only.

Consultation, Examination, Advice Free.

WANTED

BOOKKEEPING AND TYPEWRITING wanted, by experienced girl, a few hours daily. Has a typewriter. Address C. G., Sun Office.

BOOMERS AND BOARDERS WANTED—Mrs. McGregor pays all attention to her guests; sets a first class table; bed chambers and dining room kept clean; steam heat, electric light; nothing to equal it can be found in Lowell for the price charged. Gents, $2.50; ladies, $2.00. Baths with hot and cold water. All are welcome. Transients acommodated. If you feel hungry go to the Quincy House, 53 Lee st.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

THE VENDOME HOTEL FOR SALE. For particulars call or write to Mrs. W. A. Joplin, 559 Essex st., Lawrence, Mass.

5-ROOM COTTAGE AND STORE FOR sale, $1600; 4-room cottage and barn, $1150; 6-room cottage, $1050; 2 acres of land, 15 minutes to Merrimack sq., $1300. F. L. Vance, 88 Third st., Centralville.

NEW COTTAGE FOR SALE, $975; modern conveniences; 5 rooms. Box 389, city.

SPECIAL NOTICES

UNLIKE ALL OTHER DEALERS, W. F. Trumbell, has marked down his Christmas stock of pianos, instead of up. Two rooms full of the best pianos made for $75 less than any other dealer. 101 Westford st.

NEURALGIA CURED FREE WITH a sample of Palmadine, Clark's Neuralgia Remedy. Send a 2c stamp to the John W. M. Clark Co., Athol, Mass.

BENT'S NO. 1 KILLS LICE ON children. Excellent for browntail moth itching, ivy poison, hives, mange, salt rheum, falling hair. 25 cents at Falls & Burkinshaw's.

LIMBURG CO., CHIMNEY EXPERTS —Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Tel. 945.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN IS on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

SAFETY RAZOR BLADES OF ALL kinds sharpened: Gillette's a specialty: 2½c each. Harry Gonzales, The Cutler, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

OFFICES FOR RENT

Splendid modern offices in the NEW HARRINGTON BUILDING, 52 Central street. Hardwood floors, steam heat, combination electric and gas lights. Inquire at THE SUN OFFICE.

CLOSING OUT SALE OF

Neckties

While I have not tuberculosis as yet, the condition of my lungs is such that two prominent Lowell physicians have urged that I get out of doors at once. I do not care to take any chances with this dread disease and plan to leave for the west about Jan. 1. I have hundreds of neckties and other goods that must be sold before Dec. 25 regardless of the loss incurred.

Here are the prices; you can judge the quality for yourself:

50c Ties, 39c, 3 for $1.
25c Ties, 19c, 3 for 50c.
4 pairs guaranteed hose 75c.
50c Suspenders 29c.
A few 50c ties, slightly shop worn, selling at 29c.
Special prices to Sunday schools, etc.

L. E. MARKIN, Prop.

THE NECKTIE SHOP

212 MERRIMACK STREET

Up One Flight Open Evenings

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HELP WANTED

YOUNG MEN AND YOUNG WOMEN wanted to learn the printing trade. Apply in person or by mail. Open every day from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. and Monday, Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri. evenings 7 to 9 o'clock. The Middlesex School of Practical Printing Trades, 197 Middlesex st. Tel. 2489. Alphonse W. Martel, Prop. Call or write.

TWO YOUNG MEN WANTED TO travel on the road with manager. Call evenings from 5 to 8. B. C. Sayers, Washington Tavern.

FOREMAN CARPENTER WANTED, capable of handling help and with experience in millwrighting and carpentering a cotton mills. Charles P. Raymond, 201 Washington st., Boston.

SALESMAN WANTED IN EACH county for highest grade garden and farm seeds. Permanent situations, good pay. Earnestness, not experience, necessary. Cobb & Co., Franklin, Mass.

EXPERIENCED COOK WANTED AT 90 Westford st.

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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.14	7.12
a6.25	7.41	7.24	8.27
6.48	7.30	7.58	8.43
b6.40	7.53	b8.21	9.27
7.00	8.00	9.00	9.37
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.30
a7.31	8.47	11.30	12.07
7.58	8.35	12.30	1.07
8.50	9.36	1.00	1.37
b9.13	10.25	2.00	2.34
9.45	10.28	3.00	3.30
10.02	11.12	b3.51	5.02
10.49	11.30	4.00	4.86
12.13	1.00	a4.14	5.32
1.47	2.35	5.00	5.37
2.34	3.27	b5.21	6.26
3.57	4.40	5.27	6.18
4.32	5.27	b5.51	7.06
5.28	6.29	a6.14	7.32
b6.11	7.14	7.30	8.08
6.17	7.00	8.30	9.08
7.21	8.00	10.30	11.38
9.46	10.30	11.17	12.13

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.46	7.55	z6.55	8.10
8.08	9.10	9.24	10.34
10.10	11.10	10.65	11.34
10.55	12.00	11.50	12.54
12.02	1.10	2.14	3.20
z1.30	2.30	8.35	4.45
5.17	6.25	5.14	6.10
7.00	8.00	6.03	7.04
10.09	11.12	6.35	7.48
		9.50	10.58

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.00	2.14	3.25
6.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

5.48	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.36
7.55	8.39	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.49	1.00	1.52
9.20	10.12	5.00	6.02
10.23	11.24	7.30	8.08
2.08	2.45	8.30	9.08
5.19	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.25	7.05	10.14	10.52
7.21	8.00	10.29	11.55
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LOCAL NEWS

Political printing at Tobin's.

Try Lawler's for Printing, 29 Prescott.

Industry Council Royal Arcanum election of officers Wednesday evening, December 6, 1911.

Mrs. Joseph McDonald and her daughter, Alpheda, have returned from a pleasant trip to Manchester, N. H.

Mr. Louis Duclos of Manchester, N. H., and Mrs. E. Grenier of New York, were recently the guests of their mother in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Savard and their daughter, Miss Severine and Mr. Joseph Gregoire, have returned from a pleasant trip to Manchester, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Daneau of Cartier street, Manchester.

The members of the Cosmos club enjoyed a theatre party at Keith's Monday evening. After the performance they journeyed to the home of their president where a turkey supper was served.

The members of the "Old Liners" held their regular bi-monthly social and dance in Grange hall, Dracut Centre, last night, and the affair was largely attended. The music was furnished by Hibbard's orchestra and at intermission refreshments were served.

Musical Instructor F. O. Blunt has requested the Imperial Russian Court Balalaika orchestra to make a special price for school children at its concert to be given at the Opera House, Saturday evening. The price arranged is 25 cents each for the regular 50 cent tickets.

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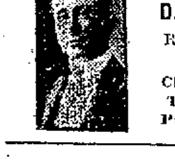
FUNERAL NOTICE

BARRETT—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Barrett will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 14 Watson street and high mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge.

AN ASTRACHAN COLLAR LOST between Andover and Harrison sts. Finder return to Sun Office and receive reward.



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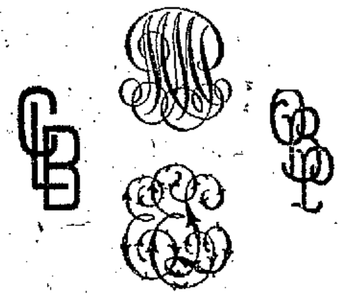

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and battlefields with deeds of imperishable glory. Whether it be Edmund Burke or Brinsley Sheridan whose brains were nightly looms that wove tapestries of glory for England and for mankind, or a Tom Moore breaking forth into song sweeter than the song of the nightingale; whether it be an O'Connell wringing Catholic emancipation from a hostile British parliament, or a Parnell, a Davitt, or a Redmond on Irish hillside or in the alien legislature; whether it be an Owen

JEREMIAH O'SULLIVAN.

Roe at Benburb, or Sarsfield on the plains of Landon, shedding his heart's blood and wishing it were for Ireland; whether it be a Dillon or a Lalley at Fontenoy, or Father John Murphy at Oulart or Vinegar Hill; whether it be a Meagher leading the brave boys of the Irish brigade with 'blossoms of blood on their sprigs of green,' up Marye's heights, or a Phil Sheridan riding like a god of war in the Shenandoah valley; whether it be the men of Pickett's brigade in the bloody angle of Gettysburg, or Pat Cleburne leading a forlorn hope and dying at the cannon's mouth in the breastworks of the foe; whether it be an O'Higgins in Peru, an O'Donnell in Spain, a McMahon in France, or a MacGahan of the blood-sodden soil of Bulgaria; whether it be the Irish soldiers with the Boers at Spion Kop, or the Kelleys, the Barkes and the Sheas at Santiago, Irish steel and Irish statesmanship, Irish valor and Irish eloquence have been the greatest inspiration for the world's leaders in the ever continuous and gigantic struggle for human liberty.

"The idealism of the Irish people in the days of St. Patrick which permitted him to convert a fearless and warlike nation in which the individualism of each man predominated strongly, found its natural and perfect development in the intense action of the Irish exiles of America in the establishment of an ideal government in this world.

"The idealism of the Irish race which gives to the Irish mother such a desire to educate her offspring; that gives them also a desire for the spiritual over the material, gave them also the most profound longing for the republic which is the best known form of government for a civilized world. Just as they aspired to the spiritual over the material, so did they naturally desire a republic over a monarchy.

"That the Irish race played a predominating part in the establishment of this republic has not been generally recognized. Injustice has been done because history has not been truthfully told.

"We could hardly write a single chapter of the history of this country without mingling with it the heroic story of the Irish race. They have enriched the blood of America beyond all other peoples.

"Destiny has delighted to mingle with American perpetuity the rejuvenating blood of a great, strong, brilliant race, a whole race of big-hearted, bright-minded, affectionate people who have come to this country from the midst of the idyls and tragedies of Ireland, the brightest, strangest and saddest of all time.

"And when they came, they brought with them the richest, rarest legacy that Europe could bequeath or the whole world give.

"Wherever danger called he was always found in front. He has ever been first to hear the bugle blast to arms and victory, whenever and wherever sounded on land or sea for liberty. Sullivan and Langden struck the first blow of the revolution in the assault on Fort William and Mary before the resounding arms of Lexington was heard around the world. Jeremiah O'Brien was the first to win victory on the sea, and brave old John Barry, the father of them all, who now sweetly sleeps at St. Mary's, was the last.

"The first shot for the Union (which was at Fort Sumter), was sighted by the clear eye and touched by the loyal hand of Patrick Gibbon. And Corcoran, a Tipperary boy, was the first officer to fling Old Glory to the breeze on the sacred soil of Old Virginia.

"On all the battlefields of the republic from Lexington to Yorktown, and from Fort Sumter to Appomattox, the Irish soldier has given to our arms his matchless valor and poured out his blood like water, everywhere, on every field of honor the sunburst of Irish loyalty has waved side by side with the starry banner.

"They were with Sullivan and Wayne and Knox and Morgan. They fought at Lexington, Bunker Hill, Stony Point, Monmouth, Bennington, Kings Moutan, Cowpens and Yorktown.

"They were with George Washington on all the fields of courage to light a torch below and to set a new star in the firmament above.

"And in the great civil conflict there were no battles fought for the Union in which the Irishman did not share with distinguished valor.

"That Irish ideal is further exemplified in the deep heartfelt and poignant yearning for the day so long coming and so patiently waiting when he can behold his beloved Ireland taking her place among the nations of the world. Yes, my friends, however dreamy and chimerical it may appear, we cling to that ideal in the fond hope that the future has a hoarded summer time for Ireland when her ancient glory may be revived and surpassed.

"We shall cling to that ideal until the foreign blight is removed, when the valleys and the hills and rivers shall sing with happy Irish voices of the owners of the land, and the long silence will be broken by the whir of busy wheels; when the ships shall sail in and out on every tide from the harbors that are capable of accommodating the navies of the world; when the stone shall be rolled away from her sepulchre; and she will no longer be the island of sorrows; and when her songs shall be attuned to a new spirit, and the voice of the Celt shall be heard through a thousand years of triumph, as it has through a thousand years of pain."

The other contributors to the evening's program were: President John J. Sullivan, who spoke briefly on the benefits of the Holy Name society; duet, John Broderick and John Lee; song, Raymond Chapelle; recitation, William Marren; piano selection, Peter Bagley; song, James E. Donnelly; recitation, Charles Bombardier.

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Ladies' Long Black Kersey Coats, prettily trimmed, were $6.75 .... $3.50

Ladies' and Misses' Fancy Mixed Coats, some double faced. All colors, were $7.50, $4.98

Ladies' Fur Trimmed Black Kersey Coats, were $10.00, $5.50

Ladies' and Misses' Choice Double Faced Golf and Polo Coats, all shades, sold up to $20. For this sale $9.98

Ladies' Fine Fur Coats At Special Mark Down Prices

Coney Fur Coats, were $33, $21.00

Pony Fur Coats, were $50, $36.50

500 Children's Pretty Winter Coats at One-Half Price. Every Color, Every Size and Every Style.

Children's Pretty Cloth Coats, lined and trimmed, were $2.50, $1.49

Children's Odd Cloth Coats, sizes 2 to 10. Value $3.00, for $1.00

Children's Pretty Plush and Curly Bear Skin Coats, were $3.75, ... $1.98

Children's Pretty Cloth Coats, ages 6 to 14, all colors, heavy wool kersey, were $6.50, $2.98

Girls' Coats, 13 to 17. Very choice, were $7.50, $3.98

Ladies' Caracul Coats, 52 inches long, were $10.98, $6.98

Children's Caracul Coats, 6 to 14, quilted lining, value $7.50, $3.75

Children's 3 to 9 Caracul Coats, were $5.00, ...$2.98

50 Ladies' Silk Dresses, sold up to $12.50, for $5.98

75 Ladies' Fine Serge Dresses, were $7.50. .... $3.98

Children's Pretty Serge Dresses, All Sizes, Very Choice, At ABOUT ONE-HALF REGULAR PRICES

Pretty Sample Dresses, were $1.00, ... 50c

Infants' Christening Coats, prettily embroidered, 98c, $1.39, $1.98

About 275 Ladies' Pretty, Plain Serge, Cheviot and Fancy Mixed Sample Suits. All Sizes, at Slaughter Prices.

Ladies' and Misses' Fancy Mixed Satin Lined Suits, were $12.50.......... $5.98

Plain Navy, Black, Green and Brown Serge Suits, each sold up to $18.50, ... $8.98

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Long Flannelette Kimonas, were $1.00 .... 59c

Short Flannelette Kimonas, were 50c. For this sale, each 15c

About 15 Small Sized $1.00 and $1.50 Wrappers, to clean up, for 39c

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Ladies' Latest Style Fur Sets. A very large variety to select from, $3.98, $5.98, $7.98, $10.98 and $12.98

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Children's Bear Skin Caps, were 39c, ... 10c

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Negroes and Negress Attacked by Mob of Whites

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 6.—Two negroes and one young negress were burned to death by a mob of white land tenants who objected to the occupancy of land by negroes near Savannah, Tenn., yesterday, according to meagre reports received here today. The burning is said to have occurred ten miles from Clifton, Tenn.

The three negroes were traveling to a gin with a load of seed cotton. They were waylaid and tied to the wagon load of cotton, it is said, and the mob, after building a fire beneath the wagon, stood guard until the negroes were roasted.

THE HOME RULE BILL

To Be Pushed Through by Premier Asquith

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Premier Asquith announced in the house of commons today that the government would use all the constitutional means at its disposal to pass a Home Rule bill for Ireland during the lifetime of the present parliament. He declared this in reply to a question from William O'Brien, member for Cork city, who expressed concern at a recent report that Mr. Asquith was trying to get the house of lords to throw out the Home Rule bill when it reaches the upper house.

The premier, by his announcement today means that he undertakes to force the Home Rule bill through three consecutive sessions if necessary, thus making it become constitutional in spite of the opposition of the peers.

SEVERAL ACCIDENTS

Men Were Injured While at Their Work

Luke Shannon, aged 30 years, living at 104 Lawrence street, an employe of Contractor Charles P. Conant, was busily engaged in carrying brick at the construction of the Bradley building in Central street this morning, when a brick from the wall they are demolishing dropped and struck him on the head, inflicting a wound two and a half inches long. The injured man was treated at the Emergency hospital.

Has Hand Cut

Earl S. Frilean, aged 21 years, of 21 Third street, a butcher by trade employed by W. T. Patten, 15 Gorham street, received a bad cut on the left hand while at work this morning. His injury was treated at the Emergency hospital.

Thumb Fractured

Fred Schatzl, aged 30 years, an employe of Cyrus Barton at the Bradley building in Central street, received a fracture of the right thumb while at his work this morning. He was holding a chisel while another man was striking it with a hammer. The latter missed his mark and struck Schatzl on the thumb. The injury was treated at the Emergency hospital.

Face Injured

Arthur Maher, aged 23 years, living at 203 Fletcher street, an employe of David Ziskind, was breaking cast iron this morning at the shop of his employer, when a piece of the iron flew in his face and caused a large wound. The injury was treated at the Emergency hospital.

IRRIGATION CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Too much water is as much a blight to land as none at all was the pith of addresses given before the 19th annual session of the National irrigation congress today by the delegates who are interested in the reclamation of swamp lands.

That the overflowed lands, located chiefly in the southern and in some of the Pacific coast states should be drained and made habitable and that the river courses should be regulated, has according to E. A. Fowler, the president, been as much a part of the propaganda of the congress as the irrigation program.

"Drainage as a basis for national development" was discussed by W. L. Park, vice president of the Illinois Central railroad, and other speakers.

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WANDERED AWAY

Girl Found at Home of Her Aunt

There was great excitement in that part of Dracut known as Kenwood and Belle Grove, when Gertrude Gibson, aged 7 years, was reported missing. The child, who hails from Lawrence and who was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bradley of Belle Grove, left the latter's home at 5 o'clock last night and wandered away toward this city. The child did not return for supper, and the aunt becoming very anxious notified the child's father in Lawrence, and immediately a search was begun by a large posse of men headed by A. C. Foye, the town constable. The men searched around the vicinity for a part of the night and finally the case was reported to the local police.

The little girl was found this morning at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Higgins, Salem street, this city, where she arrived last night, all tired out after such a long walk. The child was returned to her father this noon.

SHIPS NOT DAMAGED

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 6.—Although the "bankers fleet," which is returning to New Orleans from Panama with about 300 American bankers and their wives aboard encountered a storm in the Gulf of Mexico late today the ships were not damaged. Wireless communication with the steamers was not interrupted today.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Miss Olive Fleming, 57 Chapel street Tuesday evening, where a party of her friends from the art designing room of the Bigelow carpet company gathered at an early hour. After a turkey supper, which was served by Mrs. Fleming, a pleasing musical program was carried out, consisting of: Piano solo, by Miss Blanche Fleming; vocal solo, Miss Olive Fleming; readings, Miss Katherine Morrison; selections from "The Chocolate Soldier," Miss Agnes Robinson; whistling solo by Miss Marjorie McDonald; piano solo, Miss Sarah Dawson; buck and wing dance, Miss Blanche Griffiths.

After the musical program games were played including bridge whist.

The party broke up at a late hour, after a most enjoyable evening had been spent by all.

THE GRAND JURY

Ready to Investigate the Alleged Dynamite Conspiracy

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 6.—The stage was set today for a federal grand jury investigation here of an alleged nationwide dynamiting conspiracy. The town, vexed and torn by the lately concluded murder trial of James B. McNamara and the events leading to it, would be glad to let go of the whole affair, prominent citizens declare. But it is felt that such a scheme is out of the question. Among the reasons necessitating the investigation here in the opinion of federal authorities are:

The presence of Ortie McManigal, who, by his own assertion, was a participant in many dynamite plots.

The presence of James B. McNamara and his brother, John J., pending their departure for San Quentin penitentiary, where they are sentenced to life and 15 years' imprisonment respectively.

The amazing quantity and completeness of evidence gathered against the McNamaras which led their chief of counsel to seek eagerly for terms upon which his client might plead guilty.

McManigal's reminiscences as already given out by him, include both the transportation of dynamite from state to state and conspiracy to blow up various buildings in the country. He says he did many jobs of this sort and enumerated them. What the McNamaras will tell if they appear is not so well known. All sorts of data in this connection have been gathered by District Attorney Fredericks of Los Angeles county through his aides. Every interview on the McNamara case thus far published has been put in a scrapbook.

It is known that the present status of the McNamaras has arisen as an obstacle to their appearance before the grand jury. The evidence of James B. McNamara, a confessed murderer, it is said, is not admissible in a court of law and there is some doubt as to that of John J. McNamara. The rules of grand jury procedure, however, are not the same as those which govern the taking of evidence in court. Sheriff Hammel was informed by the United States district attorney's office that the McNamaras appearance before the grand jury might be asked and he was requested not to take them away immediately. They therefore spent today, the first which counts on their penitentiary sentence, in the same cells in the county jail which they have occupied since April 26, when they were brought here from Indianapolis. A conference to determine the scope of the federal grand jury investigation was held today by government officials following a like conference yesterday. The grand jury will convene tomorrow.

THE CROKER CASE

Was Called in Court in Boston Today

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Because of the prominence of the defendants and the length and bitterness of the litigation, the trial of former City Treasurer and Finance Commissioner George Uriah Crocker and his co-defendant, John J. Conroy on charges of jury bribery in connection with the breaking of the will of Mr. Crocker's father, Uriel H. Crocker, which was begun in the superior criminal court today, attracted more than usual attention.

The contest dates more than ten years back when the elder Mr. Crocker married Miss Annie J. Fitzgerald, his stenographer, after being a widower for many years. When Mr. Crocker died two years later he left the bulk of his estate to his widow, and his three sons by his first wife, George N., Joseph B. and Edward Crocker received very little.

Litigation was at once begun and after the probate court had sustained the will it was carried to the supreme court, where, after two trials, a jury broke it. Charges of jury bribery were made and two jurors, Matthew F. Killion and John F. Cronin, were arrested. Cronin was acquitted but Killion was convicted.

Three grand juries investigated the case, one of them under the direction of the late District Attorney John B. Moran but it was not until March, 1910, after the Crocker case had been before the court for nearly five years that true bills were returned and George U. Crocker, John Conroy and Charles H. Leach, an attorney, were arrested, Killion's sentence was withheld pending the outcome of the present case.

The trial of Leach will take place later. Immediately after the arrests Crocker's attorneys made an effort to obtain a change in venue on the ground of religious prejudice. This was denied but his counsel did obtain permission to inspect the evidence of the prosecution, an unusual proceeding.

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THE ROADS TO LOWELL

Many of Them in Bad Condition for General Travel

What is there to encourage people to come to Lowell if we cannot show them good roads on which to enter the city?

The outside of a house does not signify the personality of the owner, his means or his thrift, yet a good entrance to the grounds goes a long ways towards impressing the passerby. It is the same with a stranger entering a city, he is impressed by the appearance as he enters and the first thing that is brought to his attention is the road by which he enters.

The question might be asked, "Well, hasn't Lowell good roads?" and it can be answered in both the negative and affirmative, but it all depends upon which way you enter the city. Come from Lawrence, Boston or any direction other than from Nashua and you will find poor roads. The road leading from the White mountains to this city is good.

A representative of The Sun, after hearing of the poor conditions of the roads leading to and from Lowell, went on a tour of investigation today, and was surprised to ascertain the real conditions.

In order to cover the ground it was necessary to use an automobile, and Daniel O'Day, the expert driver and demonstrator employed by the Lowell Automobile Corporation, was brought into service. He and the writer covered many of the routes leading in and out of Lowell and as stated above the majority of them are very poor.

Routes to Boston

There are three routes which lead to Boston. Two of them pass through Gorham street and the third through Rogers street. The routes which lead from Gorham street pass through East Chelmsford and Billerica.

At Billerica Centre there is a diversion. One road which leads to Boston is through Burlington, Arlington and Cambridge, while the other is through Bedford, Lexington, Arlington Heights and Cambridge.

The nearer route is through Burlington. Rough pavements and bad roads mark the way until the "Mile Hill" is reached at Billerica where there is a good stretch of road, but as the driver passes the town pump at Billerica Centre and travels straight ahead he encounters the toughest and roughest kind of roads until he reaches a point opposite the Reed ham factory at Burlington and from there into Boston the greater part of the way is oiled and in good condition.

Those taking the route through Lexington to Boston are liable to encounter all kinds of trouble. After leaving Billerica Centre the roads are very bad and many a driver and autoist has used very strong language in describing the road. In the dry season dust is a nuisance, in wet weather the dust is transformed into mud and slush and at the present time of the year, deep ruts and rough roads are found.

The other road to Boston, through Tewksbury, Wilmington, Winchester and the Middlesex Fells, is good since that portion of the road in Wilmington has been macadamized.

The Lawrence Routes

The routes to Lawrence, however, are deplorable. On the south side of the river through Andover street the road is fairly good until the city line is reached, then instead of taking the Hood Farm road it is necessary to go by Haggett's pond and through Frye Village into South Lawrence. On the north side of the river the greater portion of the road within the city confines is macadamized, but after reach the city line the road is very poor, and this is where the proposed highway is tied up in a half finished condition.

To Nashua, however, the roads are excellent, for oiled and macadamized roads mark the way over the Pawtucket boulevard, across the Tyngsboro bridge and the state road which leads from Tyngsboro to Nashua.

Those who have occasion to go over the route on the opposite side of the river also find a good road. The usual route over that side is through the Princeton boulevard into North Chelmsford and there is a good state highway until the Tyngsboro railroad station is reached, but from there to the bridge across the river there is a bad stretch of road. At the bridge, however, the state road is reached and then the travelling is good, through to Nashua.

FATHER OF EMPEROR

Gives Up Place as Guardian of the Throne

PEKING, Dec. 6.—Prince Chun, the regent and father of the emperor, abdicated today. His place as guardian of the throne is taken jointly by Shi Hsu, a Manchu prince and former president of the National assembly and Hsu Shi Chang, vice president of the privy council.

Prince Chun has been the chief figure in China since the death of the emperor, Kwang Su, and the empress dowager in 1908. From the dark days which followed the death of these rulers he emerged the ruler of China.

At no time was Prince Chun's regency a smooth one. He tried to hold to a middle ground which pleased neither of the Manchu reactionaries nor the native progressives. He has handled the present crisis with perhaps something less than his old time vigor and recent reports have hinted that his mind was weakening.

Wu Ting Fang, the former Chinese minister at Washington, who is now one of the revolutionary leaders in Shanghai, issued an appeal to Chun a few days ago urging him to abdicate in favor of the republic. It was reported later from Peking that Chun was willing to accept a pension and retire to Je Hol if his personal safety was assured.

HER HAND CRUSHED

A young woman, a foreigner, whose name could not be learned suffered a bad accident at the Lawrence hosiery this morning at 11.45 o'clock, when her right hand was caught in a machine and badly crushed. The ambulance was summoned and the injured woman was removed to the Lowell hospital, where the attending physicians amputated her middle finger.

THE STATE POLICE

To Stop Pool Selling on the Election in Lowell

There were pools sold on the results of the recent primaries and the news of the pool selling in Lowell reached the ears of the state police. It was said that a great many voters were influenced by the strength of the pools and that men bet on and voted for candidates that they would not have voted for if they had not gambled on their election.

The state police came to Lowell today and it is understood that there will be something doing in the very near future and it is not unlikely that some of the pool agencies as well as some candidates at the primaries may be asked to tell what they know about the pools. If the necessary evidence can be secured, the result bids fair to be more or less sensational. It was stated this afternoon that the man behind one of the pools had left town and that the police were tracing him by wire.

SERIOUS RIOTING

The Turks Made Attacks on Bulgarians

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 6.—Serious rioting has taken place at Istibe, a town in European Turkey, about 90 miles north of Saloniki, consequent on the bomb outrage in a mosque there on Dec. 4, when 12 persons were killed and 20 wounded. The Turks, in revenge, attacked the Bulgarians, whom they accused of being the perpetrators of the outrage, killing 14 and wounding 157 of them in the affray.

Dr. Matthew P. Mahoney of Butterfield street will sail from New York on the Cedric on Friday for Vienna to complete a course in surgery. Dr. Mahoney is making a specialty of surgery and has been very successful. He studied surgery for nearly two years at the Boston city hospital. He is a graduate of Harvard and a product of the Lowell schools.

STREET RAILWAY CO.

Is Prepared for the Expected Storm

The Bay State Street Railway company has everything in readiness for the downfall of snow which has been predicted. The 29 ploughs located in this district have been overhauled, repainted and are in readiness for the appearance of the snow.

The Lowell district is well equipped with ploughs, which include the shear, nose and rotary ploughs. There is but one rotary plough which is used in the outlying districts, but it is of such a size that it is capable of taking care of all the drifts which are liable to be encountered along the rails during the course of the winter.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HELD IN $2000 BONDS

Lowell Automobilist is Charged With Manslaughter

James H. Horsfall, the Lowell automobilist who is charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Mrs. Ruth Kittredge at Wilmington on the night of Nov. 11, waived examination at his continued hearing in the Woburn district court today and was held by Judge Edward Johnson in bonds of $2,000 for the grand jury.

It is alleged that Mrs. Kittredge was fatally hurt by being run down by an automobile operated by Horsfall.

MAXWELL PARDONED

Lowell Man Was Serving a Life Sentence for Murder of Wife

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—A favorable report was made today by the pardon committee of the executive council on the petition of Samuel R. Maxwell of Lowell, serving a life sentence for the murder of his wife. Maxwell has served 13 years. The petition was endorsed by Judge Lawton of the superior court and John J. Harvey of Lowell, counsel for the prisoner at the trial. The committee also had before it a letter from the mother of the murdered woman endorsing the petition. Similar action was also taken on the petition of Manuel Duarte of Cape Cod, serving three years for criminal assault.

Later in the day Governor Foss granted pardons in both cases.

NOTHING TO IT
We now present the "Melrose" chocolates, packed in handsome boxes (pounds only) genuine 40c quality at 29c a box. The mixture includes walnut creams, caramels, nougatines, fruit jellies and pure fruit center creams. If it isn't as good as any 40c mixture you ever bought, bring it back and get your money. Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street. (Sample of Howard's Pine-Balm for coughs—Free.)

SOCIALISTS GOT TWO MEN

BREMERTON, Wash., Dec. 6.—The socialists elected two councilmen in yesterday's election. The Citizens Independent ticket elected the mayor, treasurer, clerk and two councilmen. Bremerton voted 3 to 1 in favor of consolidating with Charleston but the latter rejected the merger.

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FIVE MEN WERE KILLED

Many Others Injured in a Train Wreck at Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 6.—Five men were killed and a score injured, a number of them seriously, shortly before eight o'clock this morning in a wreck of two freights and an express train on the Pennsylvania road at Devils Bend, one-half mile east of Manor, Pa.

The dead:

Engineer Frank Daily of the express train and four unknown men who were in the express cars.

Fireman John Myers was perhaps fatally injured, while several other members of the three crews were seriously hurt.

Many others sustained bruises.

Twenty-six valuable horses which were being carried in one of the express cars were killed.

The debris was scattered over the four main tracks and traffic was tied up for hours.

THE INJURIES

TO FOOTBALL PLAYERS NOT SO NUMEROUS UNDER NEW RULES

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 6.—Less players have been hurt under the present football rules than under the rules which preceded them, according to Trainers Donovan of Harvard, Fitzpatrick of Princeton and Mack of Yale, who were asked questions on this subject by the Yale News. The injuries, they all agree, were mostly muscle bruises or sprained ankles. The News points out that the opinions of the trainers seem to be in conflict with newspaper statistics which have claimed that thirteen players were killed during the season. The mortality list when examined showed that all but two of the players killed were high school students who probably had observed no rules of training.

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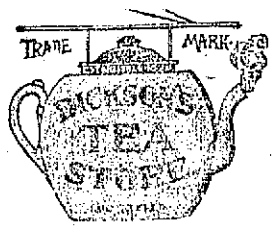

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LOWELL TEACHERS

HEARD PROF. MOLLOY ON "A TALE OF TWO CITIES."

The Lowell Teachers' association held its regular monthly meeting in the high school hall yesterday, and after the regular business meeting listened to an interesting address by Prof. Hugh Molloy of the State Normal school on Dicken's "Tale of Two Cities."

THE REPUBLICANS WON

OLYMPIA, Wash., Dec. 6.—Olympia yesterday rejected the commission form of government by a plurality of 68 votes. The republicans won. Two women were among the defeated socialist candidates.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Guy Stevenson and Miss Katherine Young, both of this city, were united in marriage, November 29th, by Rev. Dr. George E. Martin, formerly of the Kirk Street church but now of Lexington. The ceremony was performed at his home. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson will reside in this city.

SWEETSER—SNOW

Miss Ada M. Snow of this city and Mr. Alvin Sweetser of Chelmsford were united in marriage November 29, 8 a. m., at the parsonage of St. Paul's M. E. church, Rev. H. W. Hook officiating. They were attended by Mrs. Maynard Peverill of North Chelmsford and Mr. William R. Snow of this city, sister and brother of the bride. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sweetser left on the 8.45 train for Centre Ellingham, N. H., where they intend to make their future home.

CONSPIRACY CHARGED

OPORTO, Portugal, Dec. 6.—Castello Branco, formerly minister to China while the monarchy was still in existence, was arrested here today on a charge of conspiracy against the republic while he was on a visit in Brazil.

PASTOR ACCUSED

WOMAN SAYS THAT HE LIED

PITTSFIELD, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Anna E. Arnold, wife of Sumpter Arnold, an electric engineer and son of Rev. Carl O. Arnold of St. Helena's Episcopal chapel in New Lenox, charged Rev. Mr. Arnold with lying, in the Berkshire district court yesterday while the curate was testified in the defense of his son, who has been sued by Mrs. Arnold for non-support.

The Arnolds were married in Detroit, Aug. 21, 1907, and they lived together in Minneapolis, Detroit, New York and New Lenox until Jan. 15, 1911, when Sumpter Arnold separated from his wife in New York and returned to New Lenox to live with his father.

It was in relation to a meeting that Rev. Mr. Arnold was testifying yesterday morning: "She told me over the telephone that her condition was due to opiates which she had taken and desired a personal interview with me," testified Rev. Mr. Arnold.

"It's a lie: O, how can he lie so? It's a lie!" sobbed Mrs. Arnold.

She testified she was Miss Anna E. Phillips of Minneapolis, Minn., and was 12 years older than her husband when they were married. She has some property and had an income of $85 a month when she married. She had sold one house and her income had dwindled to $27 a month, she said.

Young Arnold, it was testified, earns $16 a week in the electric works. He was traveling salesman for the American Spool company and drew a large salary when he married.

By agreement in court the husband will pay his wife $5 a week.

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Discontinued styles of $1.50 and $1.97 Lingerie and Tailored Waists. Thursday bargain day

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Discontinued styles of $2.50, $2.97 and $3.50 Lingerie, Silk and Wool Waists. Thursday bargain day

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THE FOSS BOOM

Launched by Ex-Congressman Conry

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Ex-Representative Joseph A. Conry of Boston arrived here last night, announcing boldly that he brings the Foss presidential boom. He stated this with some emphasis to the newspapers and made it known that he purposed to give the boom all the publicity he could during his three days in Washington.

"I have come on ahead of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange delegates to the rivers and harbors congress," said Mr. Conry, "and I am doing what I can to inform people here that Gov. Foss will accept the democratic nomination for president. He will have the solid support of New England, in my judgment."

Mr. Conry's appearance here within 24 hours after Gov. Foss' departure will attract some attention, as the city is full of people keyed up with excitement over politics.

MAN FOUND DEAD

BELIEVED TO BE VICTIM OF MORPHINE

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—A man, believed to be James A. Wood, formerly a sailor on the United States Revenue Cutter Woodbury, was discovered in a dying condition in his bunk on the Steamship Bay State yesterday morning, when it docked in Boston.

He died shortly after a physician had been called, and the cause of death is believed to be morphine poisoning, as Medical Examiner Magrath found a silver match case among the effects of the dead man which contained a number of morphine tablets

If the dead man is James A. Wood, as the authorities believed, he deserted his ship last June and was a short time later sentenced to the Cumberland county jail in Portland, from where he was released last Sunday.

According to the medical examiner, there is nothing indicative of suicide in the death, and one theory advanced is that the man, after having spent a number of months in jail, where no morphine could be obtained, may have had such a craving for it that when he obtained his liberty and took the steamer from Portland to Boston he took an overdose.

The man came to Boston with the intention of finding out in this city just where his relatives are now residing in Chicago, he having told a friend he was going out there to join them.

The body is at the North Grove street morgue awaiting a positive identification and a claimant.

AGAINST EVENING SCHOOLS

NASHUA, N. H., Dec. 6.—The board of aldermen last evening refused passage of a resolution appropriating $1000 to establish evening schools. Aldermen Shattuck and Farnsworth voted for the appropriation and Aldermen Dunklee, Nason, Crompton and Rancour against. The other three members were absent.

Mayor Barry said after the vote that he was in favor of starting evening schools, which had not been run in Nashua for several years.

Don't forget, tonight, Concord hall.

OPPOSED TO COMMISSION

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 6.—The commission form of government was defeated here yesterday by a vote of more than two to one.

5000 DELEGATES

At the River and Harbor Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—With probably 5,000 delegates from all sections of the country attending, the National River and Harbor congress began its eighth annual convention here today. The program for the opening session included an address of welcome by Secretary of War Stimson and addresses by Rep. Stephen Sharkman chairman of the house committee on rivers and harbors, and Dr. David McKinley, a director of the University of Illinois.

This convention is expected to be the most important as well as the best attended in the history of the congress. For the first time the presidents of the individual associations will be given an opportunity to outline the necessities of their respective projects. Congress will be urged to establish a definite waterway policy instead of considering each project separately. The directors will recommend that the headquarters of the congress be moved from Cincinnati to Washington.

The session this afternoon was to be devoted to the addresses of the association presidents.

LOSS IS $1500

LIGHTED MATCH SET FIRE TO KIMONAS

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—A lighted match near two valuable silk kimonas in the residence of James A. Martin at 45 East Concord street yesterday forenoon started a blaze which did upward of $1500 damage before being extinguished and drove all the occupants into the street, some of them having only time to throw a blanket or a bathrobe over their night attire.

The Martins occupy the third floor of the house, and after Mrs. Martin had discovered the fire her husband endeavored to extinguish it by throwing a heavy quilt over the burning kimonas. Instead the quilt caught fire and ignited the woodwork, spreading rapidly to the other rooms.

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KEITH'S USHERS

Held Delightful Party at Associate Hall

The first "annal" party of the ushers at B. F. Keith's local theatre was held in Associate hall last evening and was a headliner in the list of social attractions. The ushers worked in relays during the early evening in order that the patrons of the theatre might not be neglected as the result of the party, but about 9 o'clock the "bunch" were on hand and with Kittredge's orchestra discoursing inviting dance music the 100 couples present had a merry evening. The ushers in their neat dance order introduced themselves with the following greeting:

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"To our friends who attend this, our first effort, we bid welcome. As an organization we are young, which is nothing against us. In our hearts and heads we are always going to remain young, and our little gatherings are going to demonstrate to you that, after all, to be young is a whole lot. As ushers we can't be old, for age means to lose the humor of life, and we don't care to miss any of the funny things. There isn't a pessimistic member in the "bunch" and, before the last bar of the farewell waltz is played, you'll know it. Therefore, having read this brief little introduction, we can't do better than quote the words of a good poet, "On with the dance, let joy be unconfined."

An order of 20 numbers was enjoyed and as the evening hours grew many theatrical people from the different theatres put in an appearance and added to the gaiety of the occasion. The officers of the party were:

General manager, Eugene Y. Brown; floor director, H. E. Jenkins; assistant floor director, R. Cogswell; chief aid, J. J. Walsh; aids, George Fox, James J. Harrington, Paul Campbell, Charles Barton, Francis Kearney, John McMahon, John (Jettie) Mellen, Harry Chase, Paul Berry, Thomas Minahan, Everett Collins, Ben Picket, Jas. Forsythe, John Sullivan; treasurer, Leo R. Quinn.

THE RICHESON CASE

Attorneys Will Keep the Defense a Secret

BOSTON, December 6.—All the plans of the defense in the case of the Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson are being kept extremely secret. Counsel John L. Lee yesterday stated that not a word could be given out, and also branded as false all interviews alleged to have been given by him. "I have nothing to say as regards the case and never have said anything," he declared. "Any statement purporting to have come from me is false.

"I have had a few conferences with the other counsel, Mr. Morse and Mr. Dunbar, but I have not seen Dr. Richeson since I have arrived in this city."

Mr. Lee, together with his brother counsel, Beverly Harrison, also of Virginia, has taken a suite of rooms at a Boston hotel and have settled themselves for a long stay.

The attitude of Moses G. Edmands, father of Mr. Richeson's fiancee, Miss Violet Edmands, toward the accused minister has given rise to the rumor that he has abandoned the case. This has been strenuously denied by the counsel in the case. Mr. Edmands, however, has not visited the minister for some time, and at Thanksgiving no notice of the minister was taken by the Edmands family. Miss Violet Edmands and her mother are at present in New York and Mr. Edmands is out of town.

Detective Burns, when asked whether Mr. Edmands had withdrawn from the case or not, said that he had not and furthermore he would not on account of the fact that he had guaranteed the defense. The defense has gathered all of its evidence and is now putting its case in shape.

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WOMAN HAS REVENGE

She Killed a Man in Factory at Haverhill

HAVERHILL, Dec. 6.—Simon Chillingarian, an Armenian, was shot and killed by Mrs. Emma E. Mooshian, in the stitching room of the Hilliard & Taber factory, off Winter street, just before the factory closed down last evening.

The police claim that she shot the man because he deserted her after they had eloped last summer.

Chillingarian lived but two minutes after being shot, and the woman, who was not at all excited was disarmed by Oscar I. Courser, the foreman of the stitching room, who held her until the arrival of Patrolman Kelleher.

It was just before 5 o'clock that Mrs. Mooshian entered the factory and went to the stitching room. She had worked in the factory and was warmly greeted by several women operatives who know her well.

She accosted one woman and asked if "Simon was at work," and on receiving an affirmative reply she walked to one end of the factory where Chillingarian was at work as a vamper. Mrs. Mooshian wore a veil and the murdered man knew nothing of the approach of the woman until she whipped out a 32-caliber revolver and began firing.

He Crawls Under Bench

The stitchers became alarmed and about 20 fainted. One woman barely escaped being struck, the bullet whizzing past her head.

Chillingarian, as soon as the first shot was fired, leaped from his chair and crawled under the bench, where, employes say, he began pleading for mercy. Mrs. Mooshian is alleged to have fired three shots before any took effect. She stood over the man crouched beneath the table and fired two more shots, both of which entered his breast. The shooting was done so quickly that the male employes in the stitching room were powerless to aid the murdered man or stop the woman.

The noise of the five revolver shots was heard above the din of the machinery in the factory and many of the 700 employed by the firm thought an explosion had occurred.

DEATH SENTENCE

For Men Who Murdered a Woman

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 6.—The five bandits who descended on an isolated farmhouse near Croton Lake, Nov. 9, and murdered Mrs. Mary Hall, the young wife of a superintendent of work on the New York Aqueduct, were sentenced yesterday to death in the electric chair during the week of January 15.

The five convictions for murder were completed yesterday when the jury returned a verdict of guilty in the case of Angelo Guisto. Justice never came swifted in this state to so many murderers.

Within two days after the crime the five bandits were arrested and their trials began Nov. 27. In most of the cases the jury was out barely 15 minutes. Those previously convicted were Vincenzo Corna, Felipe di Marto, Lorenzo Cail and Santa Zanza.

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"Last May I had an ingrowing toe nail which was very painful, as the side of the nail was edging right down in the side of my toe. I cut the nail out of the cavity it made, and of course applied the Cuticura Ointment to the part affected. It soothed it and in less than ten nights it was all healed through constant use of the ointment. Ten days ago, I had my left hand and wrist burned with boiling lard, and Cuticura Ointment has completely cured them. I have just recommended the Cuticura Remedies to another friend, and she is recovering nicely. I will gladly furnish the names of the people referred to above if anybody doubts what I say." (Signed) Mrs. Margaret Hederson, 77 Highland Ave., Malden, Mass., Oct. 1, 1910.

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POISONED BY GAS

Woman Died on Way to Hospital

Mrs. Sarah Goodman, aged 50 years, of 113 Howard street, committed suicide late yesterday afternoon at her home by inhaling illuminating gas. When found, Mrs. Goodman was still alive and the ambulance was summoned. She was removed to St. John's hospital, but she died on the way to the institution.

At 4.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Dorothy Goodman a stepdaughter of Mrs. Goodman entered the latter's home and found her lying on the floor in the kitchen with a gas tube extending from the gas jet to the woman's mouth. The young woman was frightened and running down stairs, notified Mrs. Morivitch, a neighbor, and both tried to revive the woman. In the meantime the ambulance was summoned and the woman was rushed to the hospital.

No reason is known why the Goodman woman took her life, for she was apparently in good health, both mentally and physically.

THE ALDERMEN

Held a Short Session Last Night

The regular meeting of the board of aldermen held last night was a short one. The meeting was called at 8.45 o'clock and there were six members present.

The petitions of Harry Pitts, 7 Hurd street and Edgar L. Fay, 105 Nesmith street, were referred to the committee on licenses.

A hearing on petition of the Lowell Electric Light corporation for a pole location in Palmer street was held. Neither remonstrants nor petitioners appeared. The matter was referred to the committeee on wires.

Hearings on petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company for three pole locations on Parker and Forest streets were in order. The petitions were referred to the committee on electric wires.

The petition of James P. McDonald for compensation as a result of injuries was referred to the committee on electric wires, in concurrence.

Petitions of the New England Telephone & Telegraph company for pole locations were continued to December 19, at which time hearings will be held.

Minor petitions were referred to the committee on street lighting.

An order calling meetings of the voters of the city for the city elections, December 19, was read and as a matter of form, was adopted.

A joint communication from the city clerk, recommending an extra day's pay for extra work at the recent preliminary elections, was referred to the committee on appropriations.

A joint communication from A. K. Whitcomb, relative to the purchase of land for a playground for the Butler school, was read. In this the school committee strongly advised against the purchase of the land.

DR. G. W. BONNEVILLE

Elected President of Dental Society

The Lowell Dental society held its bi-monthly meeting at the New American hotel last evening with a large attendance and the speaker of the evening was Dr. Henry H. Piper of Somerville, who gave an address on "Dental Hygiene and Clinic Work." President, Dr. George W. Bonneville; vice president, Dr. N. S. Phillips; secretary, Dr. V. E. Darling; treasurer, Dr. J. J. Walsh; librarian, Dr. W. S. Macleod; committee on arrangements for meeting with Lawrence and Haverhill branches, Drs. J. V. Pepin, W. S. Knapp, J. J. Walsh.

A FINE PROGRAM

At Prof. Edmund's Concert This Evening

The annual concert and vaudville entertainment by Prof. P. Waldron Edmunds and pupils, assisted by well-known local talent, will take place tonight in Kitson hall, Y. W. C. A. building, John street, and promises to be one of the musical events of the season. Owing to the length of the program the concert will begin at 7.45 sharp and no encores will be given. The program will number 20 selections. For piano music Prof. Edmunds and Prof. Fredette will play the "Zompa" overture and he will give as a solo the "Romance in D" by Jan Sibelius. The number of songs will be unusual. Miss Anna Bourassa and Mr. Edmunds will give "The Adieu;" by Nicolai, and James E. Donelly will please with his Lauder songs and impersonations. Tolmas "Adoration," with violin obligato, is the offering of Miss Florence McManus, and the famous number from "Maritana," "Let Me Like a Soldier Fall," will be sung by Joseph Heathcock. Bucks' "When the Heart Is Young," is alloted to Miss Rebecca Lacouture and Mrs. G. G. Farquhar will give the noted "Angel's Serenade," by Braga. John Moir will give "Rose of My Life," and there will be other vocal numbers by Mrs. F. L. Roberts, Miss Bourassa, John Manchester and Miss Nela Duncan Daggett. Messrs. Manchester and Moir will give a vocal duet. Miss Mildred J. Tinker will give a characteristic dance, and a humorous sketch entitled "The Country Cousin" will be the offering of Miss Mabelle Malley and Master Raymond Wilde. Miss Mabelle Sykes and Mr. Leavitt will give a humorous sketch called "A Pair of Lunatics," and Miss Annie Kelly will give a statue sketch, "Laureame." Harry Leavitt is programed for the reading, "Two Little Scotch Martyrs."

SEEKS DIVORCE

WOMAN SAYS HUSBAND WENT INTO BANKRUPTY TWICE

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—It was said yesterday that George K. Sherman, known well along Broadway because his income of $40,000 a year was not enough to supply his wants, so that he went into bankruptcy twice—once for $200,000 debts accumulated in two years, and the second time for $80,000—is due to appear in the courts again. This time his wife is suing him.

Hugh Gordon Miller, attorney for Mrs. Sherman, made a motion at Schenectady on Saturday that the petition for a separation be amended to make the demand one for absolute divorce. A young woman at Port Henry N. Y., is to be named as co-respondent.

Mrs. Sherman filed affidavits alleging that George D. Sherman, millionaire mine owner and horseman, father of her husband, had entered into an agreement with him whereby the $875,000 left to the young man by the will of his grandparents was transferred to his father, to be held in trust so that she would not be able to get any financial settlement. The fortune of the father is estimated at $10,000,000, and he has two sons.

Sherman is living in the Hotel Martinique, though he usually dwells at Port Henry, N. Y., with his father. Mrs. Sherman is living at Saratoga, N. Y.

The two were married June 7, 1899. The Shermans lived together at Saratoga until January, 1902, when, Mrs. Sherman says, her husband abandoned her. He has never contributed to her support since he left her, she avers, and though she owns the house in Saratoga, all her means are consumed in keeping up the property.

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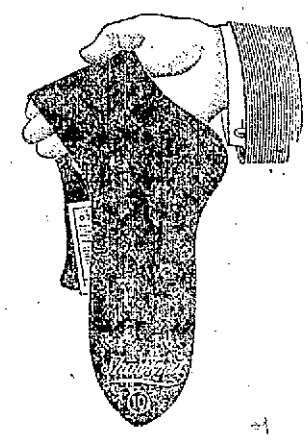

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THE "CHANTECLER"

Presented Before Large Audience at the Opera House

Edmond Rostand's play, "Chantecler" which created such a sensation when first produced in Paris was enjoyed by a very large audience at the Opera House last night.

The fact that all the actors and actresses appeared in the plumes of overgrown farmyard fowl lent interest to the appearance of the drama in this city and accordingly it was witnessed by a critical audience.

To prepare the auditory for the first glimpse of the barnyard scene Miss Maude Adams, the leading actress in the play, came before the curtain and delivered a prologue explaining what was to come—the hens, the ducks, the little chicks, the dog, the cat and the boss of the yard, the cock—Chantecler. As the curtain arose the hens strutted out in their varied plumes, the variety in their make-up representing a great many breeds. There was also the blackbird in a large cage, a hideous faced dog chained in a kennel, the whole backed by scenery of farmyard life. Still later as the play progressed an occasional owl flitted into the arena, and by some aerial wire arrangement the Hen Pheasant pursued by the hunters flies from the forest and alights in the barn yard only to cause jealousy among the hens for she at once fell in love with Chantecler and he became enamored of her resplendent plumes. In another act there was a convention of owls plotting the overthrow of Chantecler who was hated as the herald of the dawn, and the owls loved the night; their slogan was "Long live the Night." Their council of war had almost concluded when the shrill voice of Chantecler was heard; the dawn had arrived and their sight was gone so that they could not execute any of the terrible things they were to do to Chantecler.

Only the faces of the actresses appeared to distinguish them from the hen species.

The arrival of the peacock and the spreading of his great tail feathers was a notable incident in this assembly of barnyard society.

A five o'clock tea brought the feathered society together and a feature of this occasion was an encounter between Chantecler and a fighting cock who wounded himself with his own spurs.

It was the boast of Chantecler that his mission was to wake the sun each day with his song as expressed in the lines:

"I dare to believe that I
The cock, am Nature's summons to the dawn.
I dare to fear that if my voice were silent,
The East would sleep and Night would still reign on."

Chantecler consents to go to the forest with the pheasant. The song of a nightingale is heard and Chantecler entranced at its crystal music loses faith in his own brazen voice, whereupon the nightingale answers:

"We must sing the song we know, the song God gave us, though we know that other songs are more beloved than ours."

A shot is heard and a little body, the nightingale, falls from a tree. While Chantecler sorrows over the body, the forest is flooded with light, whereupon the pheasant reminds him that the day had come without his help and Chantecler consoled himself with the thought that if he did not rule the sun he can awaken the sleeping earth.

Chantecler finally turns back on his wayward life, returns to the farmyard and the pheasant caught in a trap renounces her pride and awaits the captivity that will place her under his dominion in the farmyard.

The play is a satire upon society, its whims, its conceits, its vanities and foibles. Miss Maude Adams as "Chantecler" certainly showed great ability in adapting herself so admirably to the most exacting portions of her role, while Miss Victor, as the pheasant, made a good second. There was a large company and whether the character spoke from the mouths of hens, ducks, the peacock, the blackbird, the dog, toads of owls, the work was well done. The scenery was appropriate and artistic. The performance was highly enjoyed and the audience felt grateful to Manager Ward for the opportunity to see the much talked of production in their home city.

BALALAIKA ORCHESTRA

It is indeed a far cry from the music of the Salvation Army to that of M. W. W. Andreeff's Imperial Russian Court Balalaika orchestra, which, with associate Russian grand opera singers, will come here on Saturday, Dec. 9th. The Balalaika in the hands of the Andreeff players is capable of reproducing even the sound of the cello. Still the balalaika is comparable to the tambourine of the Salvation Army lassie. Here's the analogy; The Salvation Army fights the saloon. Over in Russia the Balalaika clubs, among the working classes in St. Petersburg and throughout the Empire, keep the Czar's subjects away from vodka.

The Boston Transcript speaking of this orchestra says:

When the curtains rose, there it sat in its impassive crescent as of old; there were its strangely shaped balalaikas, domras and dulcimers; there was the long-coated and high-booted serving man with his medals, and there upon his little red stand was Mr. Andreeff of the motionless body, but the significant arms, a Mephistophelian conductor though himself an amiable and fine-spirited men. Again, he and the orchestra played their arrangements of Russian folk-tunes and of operatic fragments and added a waltz by Mr. Andreeff and two or three solos for a balalaika and the virtuoso who fingered it. Again, the twenty-five players worked miracles of mingled precision and elasticity in their modulations of pace, in the variety and the bite of their rhythms. Once more they were of a marvellous finesse in their graduation of pace, rhythm, tone and the shadings of tone. Again they made intrinsically metallic instruments sound with soft and songful voice. And once more their playing seemed the very voice of Russian folk-song—of its strangeness and simplicity, melancholy and ardors, of its faintly oriental, faintly barbaric savor of its fickle excitements and changeful languors, of its bitter-sweet homeliness. These twenty-odd instruments with the Russians that play them, and the conductor that leads them can sound the great emptiness of the gray steppes, the merry-making in the crowded and steamy room of winter, the gay bustle of the fair in the hot summer.

"THE CAT AND THE FIDDLE"

A positively entertaining and refreshing musical attraction is promised at the Opera House on tonight and Thursday matinee and night, when Chas. A. Sellon's "The Cat and the Fiddle" makes its appearance here. It is distinctly a show of novelties and surprises, and this season many new ones are promised including "My Maid in Moon," an electrical song hit, which is becoming very popular; "Mother Goose's Baby Dolls," a medley number, with all the nursery rhyme characters introduced in life like manner, such as "Mother Goose," "Little Boy Blue," "Bo Peep," "Red Riding Hood," "Simple Simon," "Tom, the Piper's Son, "Humpty Dumpty," etc. It is a great treat to the little ones, while the big folks will be delighted: "Teddy in the Jungles;" another new number is a caricature of a tropical nature, and with a scenic setting in keeping, and Harry B. Watson as "Teddy" assisted by the entire chorus.

The favorites of last season "Rosey Dreams," "The Undressed Kids," "If I Were a Sailor," "In the Shadow of an Old Date Tree," etc., are still maintained.

The scenic environment which was such a tremendous feature last season has also improved, and a Golden Fire shower introduced which is said to be a most beautiful stage illusion. The Wonderful Shipwreck, the Castle of Great Gobs, the Mystic Island of Eye, the Cave in the Catskills, and other Weird and beautiful scenes are still features. Most of the original cast will appear here headed by Harry B. Watson, probably one of the cleverest of tramp comedians, and Nellie Waters, charming soubrette; Geo. E. Hart as Mike; J. O. Campbell as Wilfred; Marty Martz as Circe; George E. Wakefield, as Great Gobs; the Gotthard Bros and others of musical comedy fame, together with a beauty chorus.

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HATHAWAY THEATRE

This week will be the last chance to see merry Donald Meek and his clever company in Lowell for this season at least for Mr. Meek returns to the Castle Square theatre in Boston while Miss Spinney and Mr. Chagnon depart for other scenes. The company has an exceptionally strong attraction for closing week in "Hello, Bill" Willis Goodhue's uproariously funny farce built upon the story of two men of the same name and a professional fixer with the inevitable love story on the side, William Fuller, "Bill" as he is familiarly called in a sporty young man who at about the time of his marriage gets into a scrape and for advice goes to Christopher Cutting, the fixer who advises him to impersonate one William Fuller, a general in the army at that time in Cuba. Bill takes his friend's advice and suddenly becomes a hero and is wined and dined much against his will though he has to go through with the deception. In the midst of the fun along comes the real general and Bill is in worse than ever. Once more he goes to the fixer and the latter attempts to fix things once more by trying to persuade the general that he is an imposter and then follow a series of most funny situations. Donald Meek plays the part of Bill the sport, and Charles Stevens that of the general, while Jack Chagnon is the fixer. Miss Spinney, Mr. Walsh and Miss Langdon are all seen in excellent roles while Miss Hunt contributes materially to the fun. The play is finely staged. Next week the Brown-Horton stock company will open at the Hathaway presenting as the opening attraction Rose Stahl's great success, "The Chorus Lady" with popular Marie Horton as "Patricia O'Brien." Miss Horton will have associated with her Mr. William Jeffries, as leading man, Miss Langdon of the present company as ingenue, Miss Elizabeth Hunt as character woman, Mr. George Morgan will play the heavy roles while Tom Hall, Jack Warner and Charlie Crymble will be seen with the new company.

KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

As game as she is graceful, Mlle. Bessie Hathaway is at work again presenting her wonderful trained animal act though the act really didn't suffer as the result of her accident by reason of the fact that her brother conducted it in faultless manner in her absence. There are many animal acts on the stage but none is neater or cleaner than that presented by the Hathaway animals. Rawls' riddles are one of the most enjoyables features of the bill this week and come in connection with the awfully funny act entitled "The Willing Worker," presented by Rawls and Van Kauffman. Stoddard and Gardner have a vaudeville novelty including character acting, remarkable changing of costume by Miss Stoddard and instrumental musical selections by Mr. Gardner. Castulucci and his musical sextet in imitations of Creatore and his band along with selections on the ocarinas and the xylophones turn out some music that is a delight to the ear. H. R. McConnell, the president of the 13 club still presides over its meetings and lets all the audience in as honary members. Mysterious Moore never runs out of talk or names for the orchestra leader from "Steve" right through the litany while his magic acts are fine. Gordon and Kinley give several interpretations of the dance that are well worth looking at and the pictures are all new first reel productions. Get your seats for the concluding performances in advance, telephone 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

It's the habit of seeing something that's really new and novel that attracts large audiences to the Merrimack Square theatre daily. The quality of the entertainment is another factor that tends to keep up interest in the regular weekly offerings here. For this week, "The Boys in Blue," is one of the interesting features that is sure to "catch on." It is truly novel and should add to the many successes already scored at this popular playhouse. "Drifting," the presentation by Our Stock Company may be classed with the very best which Kendal Wes- and his assistants have appeared since their coming to Lowell. It's cleverly written and especially well interpreted. The staging if the piece is one of the very attractive touches which is sure to be enjoyed by everyone. DeVerne and Van, in a comedy musical offering are immense, and Lee Barth, comedian par excellence, has a rich fund of jokes and conversation. The lecture on "Lowell, Past and Present," given by Miss Beatrice Saville, is not the least interesting number on the week's bill. The photo-plays are excellent. For the last three days of the week the management will give that wonderful portrayal taken from real life, "Arrah-Na-Pogue," an Irish drama in three reels, said to be the biggest and best photo-play of its kind ever produced. On Friday night the Merrimack Square theatre concert orchestra will feature selections from the opera "The Jolly Musketeer."

MARTIN CANOLE

WAS GIVEN THE DECISION ON A FOUL

NEW BEDFORD, Dec. 6.—Martin Canole of Fall River won on a foul from Tommy Furey of Attleboro last night in the third round of a bout scheduled for 12 rounds. It was one of the poorest main routs ever boxed here, and was a sorry spectacle for those who have seen Canole spar in his prime. Furey had it all his own way up to the time the foul was committed, and the openness of the violation of ring rules gave a general impression that the contest was a frame-up.

In the first round Furey was all over Canole with his slashing two-handed attack, Canole landing seldom and having no steam behind his blows. The second round was a repetition of the first, Canole's once marvelous defense never serving him against Furey's fast work.

In the third round Furey started ripping both hands to Canole's stomach, and one of his punches sent Canole to the mat for the count of three. When he got up he stood defenseless while Furey banged at his body again. With all the time in the world to aim his blows, Furey was hitting low, and he sent Canole down twice more. His fouling was so flagrant that the referee stopped the bout at this point, awarding the decision to Canole.

In the semi-final Young Lavoie received the decision over Bobby Langley at the end of an eight-round bout. The preliminary was a wildcat scrap between Young O'Brien and Young Cronlow and was the first bout of the evening. In the first round O'Brien nearly won by a knockout, dropping Cronlow three times, but the latter came back in the second round and out-pointed O'Brien during the latter part of the bout.

COLONIAL THEATRE

Since the beginning of the season the Colonial, under the able management of Carl F. Michelfelder of the Michelfelder circuit, has attained the reputation of producing the very best and cleanest in photo-plays, and big houses have been the result. Although five to seven photo-plays are produced at each performance, Mr. Michelfelder will from time to time introduce special features and for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the feature will be Boucicaults great Irish classic "Arrah-Na-Pogue," in three acts. This really great photo-play will win the highest of praise from all lovers of the picture drama. No expense was spared in its production and those who have traveled in Ireland and are familiar with the beautiful story of "Arrah-Na-Pogue" will readily recognize the fact that all scenes were taken in authentic locations, giving absolutely the atmosphere that the picture requires. The story is a beautiful one.

No drama was ever written with more heartfelt thrills and no character was ever more charming than that of Arrah. Besides this feature other photo-plays will be produced at each performance and Miss McDonough will be the soloist.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Tonight is the night of nights. The amateurs will be around and they will all work hard for Christmas spending money. Bill Looney, the genial drummer who has no equal as an announcer, and who has recently been offered big inducements with Forepaugh's Circus as an announcer, will take the show in hand and run it as only he knows how to do. Wm. Gilmore, who is today considered the greatest pianist playing the vaudeville circuit will add a few runs and trills to the music that as usual will assist the amateurs to receive hearty laughs. Don't miss the fun. Your money back if we do not make you laugh.

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AN ABLE ADDRESS

Jeremiah O'Sullivan Spoke to Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's

St. Patrick's school hall was crowded with members of the Holy Name society of the parish last night when a smoke talk was held under the auspices of the organization. The speaker of the evening was Principal assessor Jeremiah O'Sullivan and his talk on "The Exiles of Ireland" was one of the most interesting lectures heard for some time. It showed that the young attorney was thoroughly familiar with his subject and had made a study of the accomplishments of the different men to whom he made reference. Mr. O'Sullivan made a fine impression on the gathering and frequently during his remarks he was applauded. At the close of his talk, Rev. Fr. Curtin, chaplain of the Holy Name, took occasion to compliment him on his able address, and then Fr. Curtin thanked the members for their interest in the organization as shown by the large attendance, and urged them to be faithful to the principles of the society and to be loyal to the teachings of the church. He assured them that if they lived up to the pledge taken by them when they became members of the Holy Name, they would be better citizens of the country and would be doing a great work in their own welfare. Mr. O'Sullivan in his address spoke in part as follows:

Mr. O'Sullivan's Address

"The Irishman's love for his native land is an ideal love. Love of human liberty is an instinct born in his breast. It is an inherent impulse of his heart which has found expression in deeds that have not only illumined the pages of his own country's long, sad story, but have left their impress upon the history of almost every civilized nation in the world.

"Human liberty is not only a cherished ideal of the Irish heart, but the Irishman's love of it has been the impelling motive that has filled senates with immortal oratory, courts of justice with triumph of forensic genius,

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PRIMARY EXPENSES

Statements Filed by Many of the Candidates

The act having to do with corrupt practices in election provides that the candidates for nomination and election shall file a statement in writing, with the city clerk, setting forth each sum of money and thing of value expended, contributed or promised by them, for the purpose of securing, or in any way affecting his nomination or election. The law provides that the statement shall be filed within seven days after primaries or election have been held.

This is the last day for candidates for nomination to file the statement required by law and up to the noon hour, but 23 out of the 150 candidates had filed their statements.

The candidate was called upon to answer three questions made pertinent by law. The questions, "Date paid?" "To whom paid or promised?" "Amount?"

Col. Percy Parker, candidate for mayor, answered these questions in a very few words. To the first question he made answer and said: "At no time." To the second question he answered: "Nobody," and to the third, "nothing."

Other candidates for nomination to file their papers are as follows:

James J. McCarty, newspaper advertising, $40.80; Keith's theatre program, $7.50; total, $48.30.

For Alderman

Lawrence Cummings: newspaper advertising, $18.80, cards $10, hack $2, other expenses, $6. Total, $36.80.

Joseph N. Wilson, newspaper advertising, $10.50.

Sam Scoti, newspaper advertising, $16.75, cards, $6.75; total, $23.50.

Clarence H. Nelson, cards $1.50.

William H. Brown, cards, $10.00.

F. E. McNally, newspaper advertising, $9.10; carriage, $3; total, $12.10.

Michael A. Lee, newspaper advertising, $12.05; cards, $10; postage, 75c, total, $23.30.

George H. Brown, foot $35, ward rooms $5, newspaper advertising $35, Brown's publicity committee $95.70, total $170.50.

Josiah Fielding Fiske wrote on his statement "paid out nothing."

Wesley Sawyer, newspaper advertising, $10.35.

Albert Lawrence wrote: "I paid out no money and made no promises of any kind, financially or otherwise."

William Drapeau, cards $10.

George Garrity, cards $5.

Herbert E. Wolcott, newspaper advertising $15.25, cards $7.50, postage, $5.94, total $28.69.

Alden B. Ilsley, newspaper advertising $6.50, cards $5.75, total $12.25.

John J. Mahoney, advertising $7.50, team $3, total $10.50.

Charles H. Hobson, newspaper advertising $18.

William E. Sproule, cards $15.

Gilbert F. Wright, newspaper advertising $6.05.

School Board

Craven Midgley wrote: "No money expended, contributed or promised."

Thomas G. Walter said: "Not a penny."

William F. Curtin expended $22.45; $17.40 for newspaper advertising and $4.75 for cards.

John Jacob Rogers let go of $23; $17 for newspaper advertising and $6 for cards.

Franklin E. Johnson wrote on his statement: "Nothing paid out or promised.

Charles A. Gallagher spent $2.50 on cards.

THE KNIGHT CASE

Called in the U. S. District Court

HUNTSVILLE, W. Va., Dec. 6.—The case of John W. Knight, charged with using the mails in a scheme to defraud, was called in the United States district court here today. Knight, head of the defunct cotton firm of Knight, Yancey & Co. of Decatur, Ala., was arrested after the failure of his firm for several million dollars. He was indicted in November, 1910, and held under a $20,000 bond. The scheme which Knight was accused of conducting consisted of sending through the mails fraudulent bills of lading attached to drafts and insurance papers. The bills of lading purported to represent shipments of cotton from Decatur and other points. It was the custom of railroads to furnish Knight, Yancey & Co. with blank bills of lading.

These were filled out when a shipment of cotton was to be made and signed by the railroad agent. It is charged, however, that the blank bills of lading were filed out in Knight, Yancey & Co. office and the railroad's signature forged after which drafts were attached and forwarded to Liverpool cotton exchanges through brokers in New York. On receipt of these the banks paid the drafts believing the cotton represented was in possession of the railroads.

LORIMER CASE

THE INVESTIGATION WAS RESUMED TODAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Lorimer investigating committee resumed its session today with the prospect of hearing a long list of witnesses called by the defense to disprove the testimony of Charles A. White that Sidney Yarbrough was with him in Springfield, Ill., on the night of May 24, 1909.

The day's testimony promised to revolve on the mysterious "coupon number 28," from White's Illinois Central passbook by which Judge Eldridge Hanecy, counsel for Senator Lorimer, expects to discredit White's testimony of what happened at Springfield on the night of May 24 when a United States senator was being elected by the legislature.

COL. HAWKINS DEAD

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., Dec. 6.—Col. E. A. Hawkins, 68, who as a private in the signal service of the Union army was the first to telegraph to Washington the news of the completion of Sherman's march to the sea, died here last night.

NEW DOCK BOARD

Was Named by Governor Foss Today

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—The members of the new board of dock commissioners, which will have entire jurisdiction of Boston harbor, were named by Governor Foss today and the nominations were immediately confirmed by the executive council under suspension of the rules. The nominations are: Hugh Bancroft, Boston, chairman, to serve three years; former Congressman Joseph Corry, Boston, two years; Rear-Admiral Francis Bowles, U. S. N., (resigned), Boston, one year. George Smith, chairman of the harbor and land commissioners, is a member of the board by virtue of his office and the fifth member will be named today by Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston. The board has $9,000,000 to spend in harbor and dock improvements. No other nominations were sent to the executive council today.

The council refused to confirm the nomination of Prof. Droppers of Williams college, to be a member of the Massachusetts state board of railroad commissioners. The nomination of E. Gerry Brown of Brockton to be supervisor of small loan agencies, and C. G. Wood of New Bedford, to be a member of the state board of conciliation and arbitration were not taken from the table where they have lain for several weeks.

BAPTIST CONFERENCE

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—With many delegates in attendance the second day of the third annual New England Baptist conference provided for interesting addresses and discussions on matters of importance to Baptists and Free Baptists. The topic of the meeting was "The Union of Baptists and Free Baptists" and the program planned included addresses by Rev. A. W. Anthony of Lewiston, Me. and the Rev. Edward Holyoke of Providence.

NAVAL COURT-MARTIALS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—There were 1565 naval court-martials last year, according to the annual report of Captain Robert Russell, judge advocate general. The most common offense was desertion, the cases numbering 534. Included in the list of court-martials were the cases of 42 officers, 19 of whom were convicted.

Captain Russell's report states that gratifying responses have been received from the governors of most of the states to communications from the navy department inviting them to use their influence to secure state legislation to insure respect for the naval uniform, so as to permit its being worn in all places of entertainment.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	62¾	61	61⅛
Am Car & Fn	54	53¾	53¾
Am Car & Fn pf	116½	116½	116½
Am Cot Oil	14½	14¼	14¼
Am Locomo	35¾	35	35
Am Loco pf	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
Am Smelt & R	72	69⅞	70
Am Smelt & R pf	103½	102⅞	102⅞
Anaconda	37¾	36⅝	36⅝
Atchison	106⅝	105	105⅛
Atch pf	103⅞	103⅞	103⅞
Balt & Ohio	101⅞	101	101
Br Rap Tran	77⅝	77	77
Canadian Pa	239⅞	239⅛	239⅛
Cast I Pipe	15⅛	15	15
Cent Leather	21	20⅛	20⅛
Ches & Ohio	74½	73½	73½
Consol Gas	139½	139½	139½
Den & Rio G	22⅛	21	21
Den & R G pf	47¼	46⅞	47
Erie	31⅛	31	31
Erie 1st pf	52¼	52	52
Gen Elec	153¾	152⅞	152⅞
Gt Nor Ore ctf	42	41½	41½
Gt North pf	127	126	126¼
Int Met Com	15	14⅝	14⅝
Int Met pf	47½	46⅝	46⅝
Iowa Central	16½	16½	16½
Kan City So	29	28⅞	29
Kan & Texas	29¾	29½	29½
Louis & Nash	157½	156½	156½
Missouri Pac	34½	34½	34½
Mi-Sourl Pa	39⅝	38	38⅛
Nat Lead	51⅞	50	50
N Y Central	106⅝	105¼	105⅛
Nor & West	108½	108	108
North Pacific	118⅞	116	116⅛
Ont & West	29⅞	29⅝	29⅝
Pennsylvania	122½	121¾	122
People's Gas	101	100½	100½
Pullman Co	158½	158	158
Ry Sec Sp Co	31	31	31
Reading	150½	148⅞	149¼
Rep Iron & S	23¼	23¼	23¼
Rep I & S pf	82½	82½	82½
Rock Is	25½	25⅝	25⅝
St Paul	110⅞	109⅞	109⅞
So Pacific	111⅝	110⅞	110⅞
Southern Ry	29⅝	29½	29⅝
Southern Ry pf	71	70⅞	71
Tenn Coal	5	4⅞	5
Union Pacific	171½	171⅞	172⅝
Union Pac pf	93½	92½	93½
U S Rub	46	45⅞	45⅞
U S Steel	63⅝	62½	62⅝
U S Steel pf	109½	109	109½
U S Steel 5s	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞
Utah Copper	50½	49⅞	50
Wabash R R	8½	7½	7⅝
Wab R R pf	19½	17½	18⅝
Western Un	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
Wheel L Erie	5	4½	4½

Boston Market

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—An advance in old Dominion on the declaration of an extra dividend was the feature of the early copper market trading today. Other stocks were dull and steady.

Money Market

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Prime mercantile paper, 1¾@4½. Sterling exchange easy at 482.75 for 60 day bills and at 486.05 for demand. Commercial bills 482¾. Bar silver, 55. Mexican dollars, 46½. Government bonds easy. Railroad bonds easy.

Money on call, firm; ruling rate 4½; last loan 4½; closing bid 4½; offered at 4¾.

Time loans strong: 60 days 4, 90 days 4, six months 4.

Exchanges and Balances

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Exchanges, $39,769,592. Balances, $2,149,750.

STOCK MARKET

WAS WEAK AT THE CLOSE THIS AFTERNOON

Severe Pressure Against the List in the Last Hour—Railroad Stocks the Main Object Of Bear Attacks—Heavy Selling Of American Smelting

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The stock market was listless at the opening today. Most of the speculative leaders were either unchanged from yesterday's close or slightly above it. The Wabash issue bowed safe further heaviness.

Attempts to lift prices did not meet with much success. A slight rise in values brought out enough stock to cause a decided downward movement. Union Pacific, Reading and U. S. Steel and other favorites gave way to slightly below yesterday's closing. Renewed liquidation of the Wabash stocks assisted the downward tendency. Wabash fell 1, the pfd. 1¼ and Denver & Rio Grande pfd. 1¾. American Tobacco pfd. was in demand and rose 1¾. National Lead also gained 1 and Virginia Iron made a further rise to 5½, extending its advance since Monday to 15 points.

Slow dragging movements of stocks during the morning reflected the continued absence of speculative interest. Fluctuations of stocks were unusually heavy among the standard issues. There was some further pressure against the Wabash securities on account of uncertainty as to the outcome of the reorganization proceedings. Strength of American Tobacco pfd. was construed as a result of the approval of the dissolution plan expressed in the president's message. Prices took an upward turn again after 11 o'clock although there was a scattered liquidation of some of the low priced railroads and specialties. American Tobacco pfd. went up 2¾. A demand arose for the Wabash securities and they rallied briskly. The pfd. sold ½ and the fours 1⅛ above yesterday's closing. Bonds were easy.

Lehigh Valley was taken in hand after midday and ran up 1⅜. Reading moved in sympathy to the extent of a point but the rest of the market was almost motionless. A break of 1¾ later on in N. P. and some profit-taking in the coalers also were without marked effect on other stocks.

Prominent stocks were neglected. Some interest was excited by the forced liquidation of various obscure issues. Allis-Chalmers stocks and bonds were affected by rumors of a coming reorganization of the company. The common stock sold at 2⅞, the pfd. 5 and the five percent. bonds at 52½, which were about the lowest figures ever reached. Federal Mining pfd. slumped 7 points to 38 and Toledo, St. Louis & Western pfd. yielded 2¾.

The market closed weak. Severe pressure was exerted against the list in the last hour. The market became active as price levels sank, with the railroad stocks the especial object of the bear attack. Heavy selling of American Smelting accelerated the decline.

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Adventure	4⅝	4½	4½
Allouez	34½	34½	34½
Am Ag Chem pf	102⅝	102½	102½
Am Pneumatic	4¼	4¼	4¼
Am Tel & Tel	139½	138¾	139
Am Woolen pf	88	87½	87½
American Zinc	25¼	25	25
Arizona Com	30	30	30
Bos & Corbin	7	6¾	6¾
Boston Elevated	130	129⅞	129⅞
Boston & Maine	100	100	100
Butte Coal'n	16⅞	16⅝	16⅞
Cal & Arizona	57⅝	56	56
Cal & Hecla	397	395	397
Copper Range	52	51	51
Franklin	9	9	9
Giroux	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Granby	30	30	30
Greene-Cananea	7⅞	7¾	7¾
Indiana	11½	11⅛	11¼
Isle Royale	19⅞	19½	19½
Lake Copper	33½	32¾	32¾
Mass Electric	22	22	22
Mass Electric pf	94	93	93
Mass Gas	96½	96½	96½
Mass Gas pf	95½	95	95½
Mohawk	45	45	45
Nevada	18½	18¼	18¼
New Eng Tel	155	152¼	154
N Y & N H	141⅞	140¾	140
North Butte	25½	24½	24¾
Old Dominion	47⅞	45½	45¾
Osceola	98	98	98
Quincy	65	65	65
Shannon	9½	9	9
Superior Copper	25½	25½	25½
Swift & Co	101½	101⅛	101½
Tamarack	26	25	26
Trinity	4¼	4¼	4¼
United Fruit	185	183	183
United Sh M	47	46	46
Un Sh M pf	28½	28¼	28¼
U S Coal & Oil	41½	40½	40½
U S Smelting	35	34¾	34¾
U S Smelting pf	47½	47½	47½
Utah-Apex	2½	2½	2½
Utah Cons	16¼	15½	15½
Winona	5½	5½	5½
Wolverine	90	90	90

BOSTON CURB MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Nev	7c	6½c	7c
Boston Ely	98c	95c	95c
Cactus	25c	23c	23c
Davis-Daly	80c	75c	75c
First National	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Goldfield Cons	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Nev Douglas	3½	3	3
Ohio Copper	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Onco	1¾	1¾	1¾
R I Coal	1½	1⅛	1½

Cotton Futures

	Opening.	Close
December	9.13	9.19
January	8.87	8.82
February	8.89	8.84
March	8.91	8.92
April	8.98	8.95
May	9.01	8.99
June	9.05	9.03
July	9.11	9.08
August	9.14	9.11
September	9.17	9.13
October	9.20	9.17
Nov.	9.24	9.18

Cotton Spot

Middling Uplands 9.35. Middling Gulf 9.60. No sales.

STEAMER CRETIC

HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM A WATERSPOUT

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The steamer Cretic arrived from the Mediterranean today after a narrow escape from a gigantic waterspout which chased the vessel off the Grand Banks of New Foundland last Monday morning, said Captain Lobez. The spout appeared in the southwest, a monster 800 feet high, coming straight toward the ship. Although the Cretic put on full speed the spout gained and seemed about to overwhelm the steamer, but when about a mile away the tower of water changed its course and disappeared.

SEABOARD CO. TO DISSOLVE

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Dissolution of the Seaboard Co., the holding concern of the Seaboard Air Line railroad, is to follow the recent sale to a banking syndicate of $600,000 Air Line adjustment mortgage five per cent. bonds. The Seaboard company was chartered and organized in 1905 under the laws of New Jersey for the specific purpose of reorganizing the then insolvent Seaboard Air Line road. Stockholders of the Seaboard company have been notified that the sale of the company's adjustment bonds makes its dissolution possible, its original purpose having been carried to a successful conclusion. A special meeting to act on the holding company's retirement will be held on Jan. 3.

SEVERAL WERE KILLED

By Collapse of Building in Indianapolis

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 6.—Two men are known to have been killed and it is feared five or six others have lost their lives in the collapse this afternoon of a three story concrete building being erected in Harmon street, near Tenth street, for the Presto Light Co. The crushed bodies of two of the workmen were taken from the ruins and the police and the firemen worked desperately to reach the others buried under tons of concrete and steel.

HAD FAINTING SPELL

At 6.35 o'clock this morning the ambulance was called to Central street opposite the New American hotel, where a young woman named Mamie McCarthy had taken a fainting spell, suffering from heart trouble. She was removed to St. John's hospital, where she is reported as rapidly recovering.

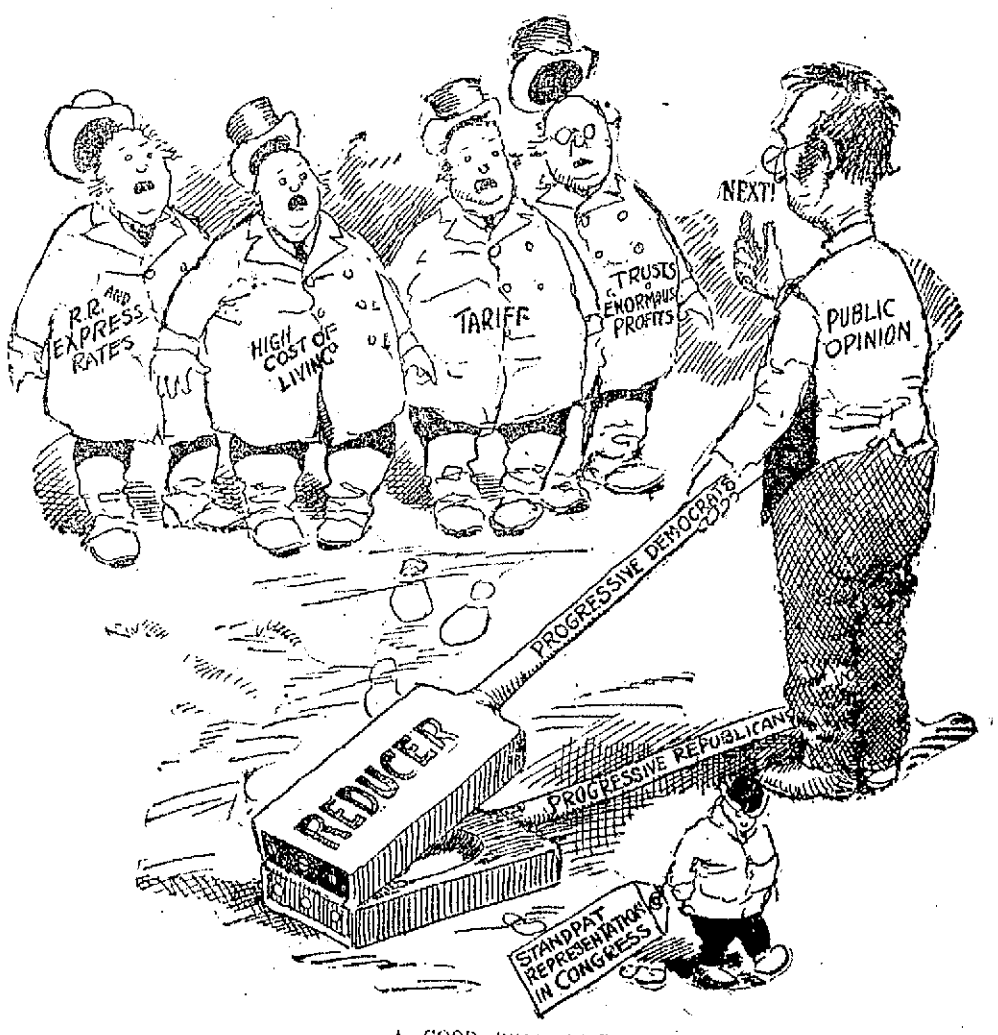
SUIT ENTERED

AGAINST THE NEW YORK CENTRAL ROAD

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Under the direction of Attorney General Wickersham a suit to recover $14,000 in penalties was started in the United States district court here today by Federal District Attorney French against the New York Central and Hudson river railroad. The government brings this suit, the first of its kind in this jurisdiction under the so-called hours of service act. The act provides that no railroad employe whose duties relate to the transportation of passengers shall be kept on duty for more than 16 hours continuously. In this case the interstate commerce commission, the complainant, charges 28 separate violations of the law by engineers, firemen, brakemen, conductors and telegraph operators in connection with the passage of extra and local trains between Rensselaer, N. Y., and West Springfield, Mass. between January and July of the present year.

The law provides a fine of $500 for each alleged offense.

Broderick's, Concord hall, tonight.



A GOOD BEGINNING

WOMAN FROM READING

Was a Defendant in the Police Court Today

The police court session was very long this morning and the judge's time was occupied the greater part of the forenoon by the case of Mrs. Julia I. Smith of Reading, charged with a statutory offense. There were quite a large number of witnesses sworn in after the defendant had entered a plea of not guilty. The government in this case was represented by Lawyer Robert E. Harding of Boston, while the defendant was represented by five attorneys, James P. Magennis, John Wentworth, John Douglass and Ward Porter, all of Boston and R. J. Crowley of this city.

The witnesses for the government were John W. Smith, husband of the defendant, Charles H. Bemis, Edgar Frost and John Sweeney all of Boston. According to their testimony, on Nov. 22, they came to this city and stationed themselves at the Northern depot and watched for a while. At about 10 o'clock in the evening, an automobile, a large touring car, came along containing two men and two women among whom it is alleged was the defendant, and stopped in front of a local hotel, and the four alighted and entered the hotel, the women by the ladies' entrance, while the men entered the office and registered. Later Mr. Smith and his witnesses also entered the hotel and rented a room next to the one occupied by the Smith woman and her companion. Some time during the evening, the proprietor of the hotel was called upstairs and the five men entered the room where it was said the couple were. The result of their finding was that a warrant was sworn against the woman and she was arrested in Boston.

In the course of his testimony Mr. Smith testified that he is employed as ticket agent for the Gulf & West Indies Steamship company in Boston, and that his home is at 19 Cortes street, Boston, Mass. He also stated that he and his wife were married in Malden, Mass., on January 17, 1901, and that on May 26, 1910, he left his wife. He also admitted being now under an order from the superior court for non support.

Drunkenness Charged

James O'Brien admitted being drunk and was sentenced to the state farm. Frank J. O'Brien was also found guilty of drunkenness and was sentenced to four months in the common jail. He entered an appeal and was held in the sum of $200. James Danahy and James T. Chouinard, two second offenders, were fined $6 each, while three first offenders were fined $2 apiece.

Non Support

Frank D. Monty, charged with failing to provide proper support for his wife, entered a plea of not guilty and his case was continued till tomorrow.

John Cassidy, who was also charged with non support of his wife and minor children, admitted his guilt, and he was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail, he being placed on probation for a term of one year.

The Barnard Case

Frank Barnard, charged with selling liquor to a minor, failed to put in an appearance this morning when his case was called and he was defaulted. His default was later taken off when Mr. Barnard entered the court room, and the case was continued till Tuesday morning.

FUNERALS

HOOLE—The funeral of Mr. William H. Hoole, who died Friday at the home of his brother, Dr. Edward Hoole, of West Somerville, took place from the Edson cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful floral offerings, which showed with mute testimony the esteem in which the deceased was held. The services were conducted by Rev. A. R. Lilts, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, and there were appropriate selections sung by Rev. A. S. Woodworth. The bearers were Messrs. Fred Perkins, Gus Sturtevant, William Mansfield and George Ansart. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier company.

MARSHALL—The funeral of James G. Marshall took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his residence, 1067 Gorham street. The services were conducted by Rev. Ransom A. Greene, D. D., of Somerville, and Rev. Clarence R. Skinner, pastor of the Grace Universalist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mr. and Mrs. George E. Burns. Delegations were present representing Ancient York lodge, A. F. and A. M., Mt. Horeb Royal Arch chapter, Ahasuerus council and Pilgrim commandery No. 9; also Grand Union lodge, I. O. O. F., and the directors of the Mechanics Savings bank. The committal services were conducted at the grave by Pilgrim commandery No. 9, and the bearers were all members of the commandery. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

NOEL—The funeral of Romeo Noel, the boy who was killed in an accident at the Massachusetts mills, Monday forenoon, took place this morning from the home of his parents, 30 Davidson street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at 8 o'clock at St. Joseph's church by Rev. Fr. Blais, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of Mr. Frank Gourdeau rendered the Gregorian chant, Mrs. J. A. Benard presiding at the organ. The bearers were Henri Tousignant, Arthur Dube, Raoul Leblanc and Antonio Bellehumeur. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I., officiating at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Amedee Archambault.

MAGUIRE—The funeral of Terrence J. Maguire took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of John F. Rogers and proceeded to St. Peter's church where a high mass of requiem was sung by Fr. Mullen. The choir under the direction of James E. Donnelly, sang the Gregorian mass; the solos being sung by Miss Whitsley and James E. Donnelly. As the body was being borne from the church the choir sang "In Paradisum." The bearers were Martin J. Heeren, Frank Carroll, George McBride, J. P. Mahoney, Charles Dowd, Michael Ryane, John and James Maguire. The floral pieces were: Large spray of pinks and chrysanthemums, Misses Kate and Sarah Sparks; spray of pinks and chrysanthemums, Frank Carroll. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. W. G. Mullin. Funeral Director John F. Rogers in charge.

DEATHS

GAUDETTE—J. R. Gaudette, infant son of Joseph and Justine Gaudette, aged 13 days, died today at the home of his parents, Spring street, North Chelmsford.

DE AGUITAR—Maria, infant daughter of Joas and Mary de Aguitar, died this morning at the home of her parents, 132 Colburn street, aged 14 days.

PINKERTON—John M. Pinkerton died last night at his home, 434 School street, aged 45 years. He is survived by his wife, Bessie, one brother and four sisters.

LEVEILLE—Damase Leveille, aged 68 years, one of the best known residents of this city, died early this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wilfrid Cordeau, 46 Fisher street. Deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Wilfrid Cordeau and Miss Delmina Leveille and two brothers, Stanislas of Jollette, Que., and Dauphin of Worcester. He was a member of the Centralville Social club and of many fraternal organizations.

MACRAE—Alexander Lang Macrae, aged 54 years, 6 months and 20 days, died this morning at his home, 85 Royal street. The deceased is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Walter Cleworth of this city and Mrs. Ralph P. Adams of Chelmsford; a mother, Mrs. Hannah Macrae; five five brothers and a sister. The deceased was a member of Ancient York lodge, A. F. of A. M.; Chevalier-Middlesex lodge of the Knights of Pythias and Lowell lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

At Sacred Heart Church Opens Tonight

The retreat for women which opens at the Sacred Heart church at 7.30 this evening will be conducted by Rev. Fr. Phelan, O. M. I., a member of the Oblate Missionary band. Fr. Phelan is a excellent speaker and is well known by the parishioners. He assisted in the last men's retreat and his sermons were most interesting and edifying.

The retreat will continue for the remainder of the week.

Instructions will be given at the 5 and 8 o'clock masses each morning. The retreat will be brought to a close at 8.30 Sunday night when there will be a reception into the Holy Rosary and Children of Mary sodalities, and the Apostalic benediction will be bestowed.

The reunion committees will meet in the school hall at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at which time it is expected final returns will be made. On December 15th the prizes will be awarded.

HAVERHILL WOMAN

PLEADED NOT GUILTY OF MURDER CHARGE

HAVERHILL, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Emma Mooshian pleaded not guilty when arraigned in the district court here this morning on the charge of murdering Simon Chillingarian at the shoe factory of Hilliard & Tabor yesterday afternoon. The case was continued for a hearing next Wednesday after request of her counsel, ex-District Attorney Peters, who was retained by her husband. The defense, it is understood, will not contest the killing but will claim justification in that Mrs. Mooshian says that the man she shot and killed ruined her life and home, abandoned her and turned her husband against her and had also threatened to kill her.

TO OPEN COAL FIELDS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Of vital importance to the maintenance of the Pacific fleet is the question of opening the Matanuska and Behring river coal fields, says the paymaster general of the navy, Thomas Cowle, in his annual report. The paymaster general recommends that every effort be used to secure necessary legislation and appropriations for mining and operating these fields. The report says the operating of mines in these fields by private enterprise should be encouraged in the hope of making the coal supply of the Pacific coast a certainty. Several vessels of the Pacific coast have been designated to determine the efficiency of western and British Columbia coals and their experiments will be watched with interest by the department.

MONEY CIRCULATION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The per capita circulation of money in the United States is $34.59, according to a statement issued by the treasury department. The total amount of money in circulation December 1 was $3,270,582,753. The assets of the government were $315,943,923. This makes the total stock of money in this country $3,616,526,676.

LOCKOUT ENDED

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—The lockout of metal workers which began on Nov. 30 and affected between 50,000 and 60,000 men ceased today. A compromise between the masters and men was drawn up yesterday.

STEEL TRUST INQUIRY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—John R. Rockefeller and Rev. Mr. Gates his associate, were today invited by the Stanley steel trust investigating committee to appear before the committee next Monday to reply to the charges of the Merritt brothers of Minnesota concerning the Mesaba ore properties in Minnesota.

MISSION OF CHURCH

Socialism Discussed by Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham

The Men's club of the Unitarian church had as its speaker, last evening the Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham, pastor of the Arlington street church, Boston, who spoke on the subject: "The Mission of the Modern Church."

The club met in the church parlors at 6.30 and sat down to a banquet at the close of which Rev. C. T. Billings introduced the speaker of the evening.

Rev. Mr. Frothingham spoke in part as follows:

"At the present time there is a great world unrest. In business life the one topic is the position of monopolies, the elimination of competition, the revision of the tariff and all the other well known topics of men of affairs. In the educational world we hear queries as to the value of our present systems of education, doubts expressed as to the benefit of the so-called "Higher Education" and discussions of almost every other phase of educational work. And so on through all human activities, commercial, educational, political, social and last but not least, judging from the attention paid to it by the press and by the people as a whole, in the religious life of the people, there is this great unrest an unrest the equal of which has never been equaled in its range.

"One of the hard things from a minister's standpoint is his inability to refrain and not refrain from the discussion of the great problems of society in his pulpit. If he fails to deal with the great social problems of the day, he is immediately consigned to the land of the antiques. And if he does deal with them he is promptly criticised by people who feel that the pulpit is not the place for such discussions. When Edward Everett Hale assumed the pastorate of one of our churches he was complimented on his reversal of his predecessor's attitude on the question of peace. Another church was criticised for its non-committal attitude on the subject. Well, this is the position in which the minister of today finds himself.

"Now, of the many problems of the church today, the social problem is foremost. The Unitarian church has always been foremost in the fight for social reforms. I have heard that many western cities have asked for the establishment of Unitarian churches in their community, in order that its influence might be brought to bear on its civic improvement and development. On the other hand, the press at large accuses the church of not actively grappling with the great social evils of the day. It is hard to account for these two attitudes.

"Now, both these attitudes are in a sense right, and yet not wholly so. The reason for this great outcry against the church arises from two great causes. In the first place, there is a great unrest in the world at large. In Turkey, China, Persia, and in all the other countries of Asia, Europe and America we find this great unrest. It is in all the affairs of men, among all classes and conditions. All society seems to be divided into the two great classes of those who have and those who have not. In the second place, the church of today lacks a program. And that is a very fatal defect. The church seems to be an embodied aimless goodness, a bundle of good, but aimless attempts at the world's betterment. Of this latter feeling, socialism is undoubtedly the root.

"Now, whatever else it has, socialism certainly has a program, and one states his program when he states that he is a socialist. There is no wavering on that point. People make all sorts of charges against socialism, but on the score of its platform there is little questioning the fact of its existence. Socialism stands for the elimination of competition, for the sacrifice of the individual in order that the race progress may increase. Society is the main thing with them, the individual is nothing.

"Now the church undoubtedly must busy herself with the great problems of modern society, but the mission of the church is inspiration and not administration say others. We must stand for world peace, the amelioration of all the political diseases and the social diseases of mankind, it must stand for a redistribution of the world's goods. Now what can the church do about it?"

"I have little sympathy with either of these great criticisms of the church. But what are we going to do about it? That is the problem which I am going to try to solve. It must in the first place thoroughly realize its problem and recognize its complication. We have in recent times been looking at the stars through lenses and have discovered a universe so enormous that our minds cannot begin to grasp its immensity. And so the case is with our modern life. We used to hear about how many times the efficiency of a man had been increased by the invention of electricity and all the other marvels of our age. Now we are beginning to consider the meaning of all this power and life to a man. The widening of a man's capacities is the one important thing, his capacities for the enjoyment of the best there is in life.

"The church doesn't believe in going ruthlessly about destroying everything at hand just because it has faults and seems to be useless. The hand of the church is the moulding hand which transforms slowly and certainly the great evils in our modern civilization.

"The church has a great mission. It must persuade people that their great scramble for wealth and happiness must cease. They must be brought to the realization that there is much more that is worth while in life than that; that the happiness of everyone, and not only of themselves, must be sought, if they would attain it. When we consider the diversity of people's temperaments, it seems wonderful that we get along at all together. Now the mission of the church is to bind the whole of humanity together.

"The church is not the enemy of socialism, but is its complement. Socialism may reduce us to a broader level, may eliminate the great physical inequalities of life, may make for the happiness of the race as a whole, but the church must widen the avenues, must widen the individual, must stand for the upbuilding of human character, the character of the individual."

CONTESTS WILL

WOMAN FIGHTS LEGACY TO HER STEPMOTHER

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Wilhelmina Schaus Junkin, wife of Joseph DeForest Junkin, yesterday filed in the supreme court notice of contest of the will of her father, Herman Schaus, formerly an art dealer in New York. She charges her stepmother, who is also her aunt, with having induced Mr. Schaus to change his will against the interest of his daughter.

Mrs. Junkin names as defendants in the suit to break the will, Mrs. Sophie Johnson Jones-Schaus, her stepmother; Hermann Schaus, her 4-year-old half-brother; Adolph Schaus, her uncle, and the Guaranty Trust company, as trustee. Mrs. Sophie Jones-Schaus, the widow, and her son, Herman Schaus, are now in St. Louis.

Mr. Schaus left an estate, the contestant asserts, valued at more than $600,000. He gave Wilhelmina Schaus Junkins, daughter of his first wife, the income from only $50,000 and two portraits. He left $50,000 each in trust also for his son by the second wife and Adolph Schaus, his brother. The residue was left to the widow.

The first wife of Herman Schaus and mother of Wilhelmina, was Emily S. Johnson, daughter of J. B. Johnson, a St. Louis physician. In February, 1907, some time after the death of the first Mrs. Schaus, Mr. Schaus married Sophie Johnson Jones, another daughter of Dr. Johnson, and the widow of Alfred H. Jones.

CLAIM SALVAGE

CREW PUT ABOARD AN ABANDONED BARGE

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Enough salvage money to buy Christmas presents for their families may be collected by the five men composing the boat's crew from the Boston-bound steamer Ontario, who, according to a wireless message yesterday afternoon, were put aboard the barge Henry Clay, sighted abandoned off the Jersey coast.

The wircles was meager in details but as another steamer had taken off the barge crew some time before the Ontario hove in sight, it is clear that Capt. Bond of the Ontario and his men have a claim for salvage money in case they assist in finally bringing the Henry Clay to port somewhere. The Ontario is bound here from Baltimore, Newport News and Norfolk with passengers, and is due today, the last message from Capt. Bond saying the men from the Ontario was aboard the barge.

The Henry Clay was one of a string of three barges that were being towed from Philadelphia by the tug Gettysburg. She is bound for Boston and has 1012 tons of coal on board for the Metropolitan Coal company of this city. The barge broke away Monday from the tug, and the latter, after taking the other two barges into Delaware breakwater for anchorage, went out searching for the Clay.

LOCAL RAILROAD MAN

TELLS OF HIS GREAT SUFFERING

"The nature of my business frequently necessitates irregularity with sleep and eating," said a well known railroad man recently whose name is temporarily withheld by request. "As a result," continued he, "I was recently attacked with bad headaches and disorders of the digestive organs. My head and stomach gave me considerable trouble, I also found it hard to get as much rest from my sleep as I ought to get. I would become fatigued more readily than during my previous good health and it was difficult to get relief. I had tried other means to restore me to my normal condition without result, when a friend suggested that I try a bottle of 'Tona Vita.' I took his advice and am glad I did. My appetite improved immediately. My headaches became less frequent and finally disappeared. My stomach is now in perfect condition and I can sleep well at night.

"I consider 'Tona Vita' about the best tonic I ever used, and am pleased to have this opportunity of recommending it to my friends, or anyone who might be in need of a preparation of this sort to build up the System. It made me eat and sleep better than I had eaten or slept for a long time, and after taking it I got more benefit from food and rest than I ever got before. Judging from my experience, I regard 'Tona Vita' as the best medicine ever sold here."

Thousands in Lowell are afflicted with the same trouble in a more or less aggravated form say the specialists who are here introducing "Tona Vita."

"The strain of modern city life," said one of these specialists recently, "causes irregularities with regard to sleeping and eating, produces a most miserable condition of the body, which is known to us as nervous debility, that modern plague whose chief symptoms are: Imperfect digestion, bowel trouble, nervousness, depression of spirits, little vitality, headaches, backaches, sluggish mind and poor memory, dull pains in the back, poor circulation, cold feet, susceptibility to coughs and colds, dizzy spells, spots before the eyes, uneasy sleep and poor appetite.

" 'Tona Vita,' " continued he, "will remove this condition, affording the right food material for a complete rejuvenation of all organs and their restoration to a healthy, normal condition."

"The "Tona Vita" specialists are explaining the nature of their remarkable remedy at aHll & Lyon drug company, and are meeting the public from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily.

MISS DRAPER DEAD

High School Teacher Passed Away

The many friends of Miss Charlotte E. Draper, a former teacher at the Lowell High school, will be pained to learn of her death, which occurred at her home, 51 Washington square, Salem, Mass., yesterday afternoon. The news of Miss Draper's death will come as a sad shock to all her associates at the high school and to the thousands of pupils who were fortunate to study under her watchful care.

Miss Draper started the school year but remained at her desk only two weeks as she was stricken with a painful attack of rheumatism. She was then making her home with Mrs. J. W. B. Shaw, 63 Dover street, but in order to recuperate she went to her own home, in Salem. At that time it was only temporary, but a complication of diseases set in and she finally succumbed yesterday afternoon.

Deceased was a woman of great refinement, gentle in manner and with a wonderful personality that made her the friend and often the confidant of her pupils. With the exception of Miss Webster, she was the oldest teacher in point of service in the school, having performed those duties for 41 years. Her subjects were Latin, geometry, astronomy and geology.

Miss Draper received her early education in the Salem public schools, later attending and graduating from the Salem Normal school. She taught school for several years in Flushing, L. I., Tewksbury, and in 1870 she started at the Lowell High school, teaching there till last October, when she was taken ill.

Deceased will be buried in Salem and her funeral will take place at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

LAST LECTURE

IN SERIES BY REV. SARAH A. DIXON

Rev. Sarah A. Dixon gave the fifth and last lecture in her series on "The Ring and the Book" yesterday afternoon the subject of her closing discourse being "A Philosophical Study of a Death Sentence." The lecture was intensely interesting even as were its predecessors and those who have attended the series regret its ending.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Samuel H. Hines lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night. There was a large attendance and considerable business was transacted during the evening. A committee of three was appointed to meet with a like committee from Columbia council, 33, O. U. A. M., to make arrangements for a grand gala night, at the rooms of the O. U. A. M., in the near future.

Next Tuesday night, Dec. 12, the rank of esquire will be worked by the famous rank staff of Hines lodge, on 15 pages for Wamesit lodge, 25. The staff will appear in their new uniforms, which have been secured at a large expense, and all members of the order are invited to be present. Four applications were read by the K. R. S. and others are on the way. Much sympathy was expressed for Brother Dr. Charles W. Taylor in his sickness, and hopes for a speedy recovery were general.

Pilgrim Fathers

One application for membership was received at last night's meeting of Garfield colony, U. O. P. F. Under the good of the order, a donkey party brought forth peals of laughter. On the evening of December 19, action will be taken in regard to changing the night of meeting.

Women's Relief Corps

The members of B. F. Butler, Women's Relief corps, met in regular session last night. Prior to the business meeting a regular old fashioned New England dinner was served.

Memorial services in honor of Mrs. Marie Chase, J. V. P., and Mrs. Bickford will be held at the next meeting, December 19, commencing at 8.30 p. m., to which all their relatives and friends are invited. The following officers were then elected: President, Miss Emma J. Ober; senior vice president, Mrs. E. B. Ober; junior vice president, Mrs. Bessie Cummings; treasurer, Mrs. Eliza Goodwin; chaplain, Miss Sophia Baker; conductor, Mrs. Helena Quinn; guard, Mrs. Simmons; delegate, Mrs. Bartlett; alternate, Mrs. Cummings.

Betsey Ross Circle

Betsey Ross circle, 24, held its regular monthly supper and meeting last night, with a good attendance. One new member was initiated, new officers were elected, and other business of importance was transacted.

L'Union St. Joseph

The regular meeting of l'Union St. Joseph, was held last night in the society's rooms in St. Joseph's building, Dutton street, with President Joseph R. Marchand in the chair. Considerable routine business was transacted and it was announced that the election of officers for the coming year will be held at the meeting on Dec. 26.

The C. M. A. C.

The attendance at the regular meeting of the C. M. A. C. last night was very large. The meeting was held in the club rooms in Pawtucket street, President Xavier Delisle in the chair. Four new members were initiated and 60 applications for membership were received. The feature of the evening was the nomination of officers for the coming year. For president there will be no contest at the election, as Vice President Joseph Payette is the only candidate. The election will be held at the next meeting, Dec. 19.

J. N. Jacques Council

A large meeting of J. N. Jacques council, U. St. J. Bte. d'A., was held last night in the Centralville Social club rooms. The meeting was presided over by President Albert Marcotte and considerable business was transacted. The election of officers for the coming term was held with the following results: J. A. N. Chretien, president; Pierre C. Gagnon, vice president; Elphege Beaudette, secretary and collector; Adolphe Bouchard, treasurer; Pierre A. Broussoau, master of ceremonies; Joseph Bissonnette, marshal; A. Harnois and J. Rheault, auditors; Albert Marcotte, honorary president; John H. Beaulieu, dean.

The installation of these officers will be held at St. Louis' convent hall on Sunday, January 21, when the officers of the three local councils of the union will be installed.

Laval Council

The regular meeting of Laval council, U. St. J. Bte. d'A., will be held tonight at the Notre Dame de Lourdes parochial school hall in Middlesex street, and the main feature of the meeting will be the election of officers for the coming term.

Molly Varnum Chapter

Molly Varnum chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met yesterday afternoon at the Spalding house in Pawtucket street. Mrs. Mary P. Morrison, sister of Dr. M. G. Parker, president general N. S. S. A. R., presented the chapter an old English tall clock. The presentation was made by Miss M. Ida Howe for Mrs. Morrison and the regent Mrs. C. E. Howe, accepted the gift for the chapter. Mrs. C. O. Charles, who was to speak before the chapter was not able to be present on account of sickness in the family, but she will speak at some future time. Refreshments were served by the social committee, Mrs. Mary Holden and Miss Lina Parker poured.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

"Say, Doctor, what you suppose ails me, anyway?

"Coffee? Why, I've drank it 20 years, say Doc, quit chaffin', I'm feeling bad.

"Now there goes another of those infernal twists in my right side.

"Coffee congests the liver, you say? So I've got to quit. Well, what do you know about this Postum?

(A month later) "Mornin' Doc, yes feeling fine, thanks. Say, you did give me a scare about my liver, but it was all true, I reckon.

"When I quit the coffee and went on with Postum, I began to feel better in two days and now I've quit the army of coffee cranks for good.

"Sure, I belong to the Postum army, and know where my comfort is."

"There's a Reason"

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(Courtesy of Judge)

From the Heart of the Wheat

Comes the delicate flour.

There's only a little.

And around it lies gluten that's hard and tough—bothersome in baking.

To pick this cream of the flour from the ordinary, we sift it ten times—

Ten times through fine silk.

And only the daintiest particles, sifting through, go out as Gold Medal Flour.

The rest we deem unfit.

Do you want all of the flour, or just the best of the flour?

Will you have milk and cream, or just the cream, when both cost an equal price?

There can't be any question.

Then in ordering, Madam, don't merely say "flour." That means any flour.

Say the flour you want—say—

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GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

ARRESTED SAILOR

HE IS CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED LARCENY

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Frank A. Warren, 18 years old, who was in sailor's clothes and who claims to be a seaman aboard the battleship Nebraska, was arrested by the Malden police last night, charged with attempting to break and enter the clothing store of Benoit Blanchard Co., in the Malden Auditorium building. Another sailor, who was with Warren at the time, escaped.

At 10 o'clock last night the police received a telephone message from Manager Rollins of the Malden Auditorium that two men were acting suspiciously in the rear of the store. Police Officers Mahor and Osterlind were sent there and nabbed Warren in the yard in the rear of the clothing store. A light of glass and an iron screen had been removed from a window, it was found.

THE CLIFFORD CONCERT

The management of the Lowell Opera house announces the engagement of the Thomas E. Clifford company for a concert on Sunday night, Dec. 10. That means a concert of great merit that will delight all who attend. The program will include principally Irish songs and ballads. Mr. Clifford has surrounded himself with a group of artists who will do ample justice to the Irish classics which are recognized the world over as among the sweetest melodies known. As for Mr. Clifford, it needs only to be said that he is the man who originally sang "The Holy City" in America, and did more than any singer to introduce it to the people of this country; also that he was among the first in America to make a feature of "The Palms," a hymn which he sang in "The Old Homestead," as a member of Denman Thompson's famous company. With Mr. Clifford Sunday night will be: Elmer Crawford, violinist; Miss May White Mullen, soprano; Miss Reta Treffrey, pianist; Miss Helen Trask, contralto; Mr. John F. Cook, tenor; J. Fred O'Connor, pianist; Charles Sturtevant, character singer.

Seats for the concert are now on sale at the Opera House.

FOOTBALL NOTES

The Bartlett grammar school rugby team will have to meet the Edson football team before they claim the championship of the grammar schools of the city. Send all challenges to James O'Dea, 295 Central street, City. We would also like to play the Moody or Varnums.

QUICK, PAINLESS WAY TO REMOVE HAIRS

(Beauty Culture)

A chance discovery by a noted chemist has resulted in a new and harmless way to remove hairy growths without the least possible injury to the skin. A paste is made with ordinary powdered delatone and water and applied to the hairs not wanted. After two or three minutes this is rubbed off and with it comes every trace of hair. The skin is then washed and it is left white, firm and smooth.

The delatone treatment for superfluous hairs is so simple to use and so quick in action that no one is justified in employing the painful and costly electric needle. Delatone costs a dollar for an original ounce package, and is worth every cent. Any druggist can supply it.

THREE THINGS EVERY WOMAN SHOULD KNOW

(Annie Bly in the Graphic)

"If you want long, wavy and lustrous hair, use a dry shampoo, for soap and water fades the hair and makes it brittle. Just mix four ounces of therox with four ounces of cornmeal, or with four ounces of powdered orris root, sprinkle a tablespoonful of this mixture on the head; then brush thoroughly through the hair.

"A lovely, soft and youthful complexion can be brought about by applying a solution made by dissolving a small original package of mayatone in eight ounces of witch-hazel. Make the solution yourself and gently rub into the face, neck and arms night and morning.

"For eczema and other skin diseases, there is nothing better than Mother's Salve. It heals old sores, cuts, burns and scalds, and the world never saw its equal as a cure for coughs, colds and catarrh."

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1911. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

The governor's council can show no good reason why it refused to confirm the appointment of Prof. Droppers to the railroad commission.

Champ Clark is confident the democrats can't lose in next year's contest. If Mr. Clark does not control his tongue better than he did last year he may make it quite easy for the democrats to lose.

The Brockton Times suggests a commission for the street department of that city. Brockton should adopt the commission form of government and then she would have a commission in charge of every municipal department.

President Taft after a tour of the country in defense of his vetoes of the wool and cotton bills has apparently reached the conclusion that he will have to sign bills of much the same character. He has felt the popular pulse and his tariff board will doubtless report accordingly.

The fight against tuberculosis can be helped along by putting a few Red Cross stamps on your Christmas parcels before mailing. The stamps will not pay postage but they will aid a good cause. By a rule of the postoffice these stamps are to be put on the reverse side of the mail matter.

The proposition for overhead or underground sidewalks for Washington street, Boston, is not feasible or if so is not desirable. Better relieve the street of cars, make it a one way street, extend the sidewalks and enforce the rule that travel on the opposite sides shall go in opposite directions.

There is a great deal of criticism of Italy's course in executing some treacherous Arabs who as supposed non-combatants attacked the Italian troops from behind. Italy did only what any other nation would do under like circumstances. When Turkey massacred thousands of Christians in Armenia the sensational sheets did not have much to say about the atrocity.

Collier's Weekly has a humorous reference to the premature rejoicing among republicans in Boston on election night when it appeared to the overconfident that Frothingham was elected by a majority of 40,000. Senator Lodge said the tariff argument set forth by himself did it, and one Mr. Reynolds, a member of the Taft tariff board, was also enthusiastically of the same opinion. Both gentlemen almost hugged each other with joy, when in tumbled another batch of returns showing that after all it was not the tariff, not even Frothingham but Foss, Foss "the detestable" but inevitable Foss. The two gentlemen suddenly felt a chill in the atmosphere; they saw the handwriting on the wall and with ominous shakes of the head they went away back and sat down, and yet what they said was true—"the tariff did it."

RUSSIAN AGGRESSION IN PERSIA

Russia is reaching out to throttle Persia. She has always had a desire to extend her dominion in that direction, and England in the past has been so jealous of any Russian advance toward India that it is somewhat surprising that she is not protesting against the present act of aggression. It is very plain that Russia has forced the quarrel with Persia on pretexts that with a larger power would never pass for a casus belli. The powers should interpose to prevent Persia being despoiled of her independence because she refuses to accept intolerable dictation from Russia in affairs which are purely Persian. Russia had better mind her own business. She has more territory now than she can make good use of. It is not so long ago since she was practically whipped by her agile neighbor, Japan. She may soon get into another war that will reduce her possessions still further if she persists in despoiling weaker powers as she proposes to do with Persia.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

President Taft's message delivered to congress yesterday dealt entirely with the trusts and the operation of the anti-trust law. He takes the position that the law is working all right as now being applied by the government and under the new interpretation by the supreme court which he says is but a different form of expression from that of previous decisions and based upon excepting from the operations of the law the combinations held to be reasonable under the common law. He seems to be well satisfied with the manner in which the dissolution of the Tobacco Trust has resolved the company into its component parts, although nothing that he has to say can be accepted as proof that the Tobacco Trust is not still doing business at the old stand, still controlling the price of tobacco all over this country, still one of the greatest monopolies within the boundaries of this republic.

The president admits that there is a lack of definiteness in the statute that may call not for repeal but for supplementary legislation which will prohibit unfair methods of stifling competition and thus establish a monopoly. This should be a criminal statute that would shorten the government task by punishing single misdemeanors instead of dealing with the operation of years as an entire conspiracy. He reiterates his recommendation of January 7, 1910, for an act of federal incorporation and favors a federal corporation commission and government administrative experts to aid the government in trust dissolution.

The message presents nothing new and nothing that the president has not already said in his speeches; but it embodies in definite form his present attitude in regard to trusts and the application of the Sherman law. His recommendations are lame in the fact that the application of the law to the great trusts does not, as he assumes, terminate the trust in the monopolistic sense. The trust will continue to do business and to control prices in spite of dissolution and the reorganization which Mr. Taft affects to believe eliminates the trust proclivities. The remedy which he says is working all right is no remedy at all.

SEEN AND HEARD

That there are honest people in the world and that it pays to advertise in The Sun was demonstrated Monday when a woman from Pelham, N. H., lost a purse containing a considerable sum of money. Immediately upon discovering her loss she hastened to The Sun office and inserted a "lost ad." Four hours later a man called at The Sun office with the purse. He lives in Eighteenth street and he explained that his daughter picked it up in the Knox Five and Ten cent store.

The man who tells you the funny things his children have said will be fittingly punished when these smart children grow up.

Impulsive people have need to be good apologizers.

A parent's life is one long responsibility. It's a wonder that so many of the genus discharge their duties so acceptably. A writer has discovered another parental problem; or perhaps he merely calls attention to one which many fathers have discovered for themselves.

"How's the family?" one inquired of a happily married West Sider yesterday.

"Well, my children are at a difficult age now."

"Difficult? Why, they've all passed the measles and teething stage, haven't they?"

"Long ago. But you don't know a father's troubles. My children are at the age where if I use slang my wife says I'm setting a bad example. And if I speak correctly the kids think I'm a back number. Which would you do?"

Workers are, doubtless, they who shall inherit the earth. But certainly dolent natures, gifted with wit, can afford to take occasional chances as residuary legatees. A writer tells of one such fellow, a freshman in a noted physicist's class.

The freshman, who was a lanky youth, sat in the rear seat. His attitude was sprawling, and he was either asleep or seemed to go to sleep.

"Mr. Fraser," said the physicist sharply, "you may recite!"

Fraser opened his eyes. He did not change his somnolent pose.

"Mr. Fraser, what is work?"

"Everything is work."

"What! Everything is work?"

"Yes sir."

"Then I take it you would like the class to believe that this desk is work?"

"Yes sir," wearily, "woodwork."

THE OLD CAB HORSE

Kelcey sits at his liquor, while I stand here in the rain.
Shy of blankets and hungry, too, and stung by rheumatic pain;
Mangy and scarred and limpy, with a harness that hangs askew—
Do I look like a one-time show horse? Do I look like a horse to you?

Well, I've jangled a golden trapping—me, that's not fit to shoot;
Though Kelcey he calls me Peter, my name was registered Canute,
Hooked to the Rich's carriage, I carried the uptown swells—
But now I'm hauling a hansom that's reeking with musty smells.

Swaybacked, spavined and feeble—a risk for a three-block drive—
I used to rank as a winner, though I seem but barely alive.
Well I recall my glory; mated with Irish Lass,
We were shown six times at the Garden and beat the world in our class.

Pulling a plush-lined carriage, we were a pair to see;
A lordly driver upon the box and a footman at either knee,
And the Riches were proud to own us, for it gave them a sort of fame,
But they weren't too haughty to let us go when the horses passed from the game.

Now the Lass, she's over in Jersey pulling her share of a dray
With a runner that won a Brooklyn back in another day,
While I wait here in the gutter, where I'm spoken as Kelcey's Pete,
And wishing a pedigree two miles long was good for a horse to eat.
I'm dreaming here of a heaven where the honking horns are stilled;
Where each garage is a stable, and the stalls in each are filled;
I'm dreaming of heated stables, and the grooms and the loaded bins—
When the Riches' automobile sports past and the mudguards bark my shins!

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Worcester Post: What may lead to international action to stay Russia's "criminal aggression" against Persia is promised by inquiry threatened now in the British parliament. A thorough uncovering of the case can have only one result. Meanwhile W. Morgan Shuster—who received the announcement of his selection for his present post, while in Worcester as a guest of its board of trade—seems to have a united Persia back of him in his attitude of defense of its integrity.

HARRY LAUDER SLIGHTED

Fall River Globe: It has been pointed out that seven of the twenty men named by Andrew Carnegie as being the most distinguished in history were Scotchmen, but what surprises the Buffalo Times is that Harry Lauder should not have been one of these.

NEWSPAPER ART

Boston Herald: Henri Bergson's definition of laughter as a form of social censure was inverted at the Twentieth Century club Saturday in the condemnation poured out there on the "comic supplement." The trouble with this "outgrowth of journalism" is that it treats children as belongs on a low plane of intelligence, to whom only the crude and inane, the gross and the exaggerated, can be made to appeal. Even literature has receded from this ancient conception of the youthful mind, and we now have far fewer of the namby-pamby, goody-goody, hardy-gurdy books which household shelves and village libraries used to be encumbered with half a century ago. There is still less room for a disparaging view of juvenile capacity in the realm of art. Young people who are old enough to read a newspaper are old enough to appreciate good pictures. They strike the eye at once; they need no pedagogue to make them intelligible; they can be read at sight without the aid of a dictionary. It is an abnormal child that will not instantaneously reject a bad piece of pictorial art for a good one.

WRINKLES VANISH WHEN THIS IS USED

"The hand of Time will touch lightly the cheek that avoids powders or cosmetics," says Mrs. Mae Martyn, authority on beauty, in the Sacramento Post, "and uses instead a simple lotion made by stirring 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine in ½ pint hot water, then adding 4 ounces spurmax. Many, however, prefer witch-hazel to water, as with the former it dries more quickly.

"This is applied sparingly to face, neck and arms, then rubbed lightly until it vanishes. After a few times using, wrinkles and fine lines vanish, the oily, sallow or 'muddy' color disappears, and pimples and blackheads are eliminated. The value of this lotion over the face powder quickly manifests itself as it is invisible when on and it does not spot or rub off."

TO LET

All sufferers from piles, old sores and all skin diseases know that ST. THOMAS' SALVE has no equal. Try it. All leading druggists, 35c.

QUIET LOCATIONS FOR SCHOOLS

Brockton Enterprise: The great anti-noise promoter in New York, Mrs. Rice, has started a plan for quiet zones for schools. She wants to get them away from places where there is ever the distraction of noise and attractions outside the building. Admirable idea. Many schoolhouses are located by school authorities with this end in view, but in many cases the location of schools is such that there is a constant riot just outside the windows all day long. The scholar who can do his best work in such a school is a wonder at concentration. As a matter of fact, especially with young children, noise outside means a very perceptible loss of interest in studies and an increase of nervous tension, irritability and even illness. Every school should be if possible placed off the traveled main streets and as near to quiet and peace as is possible in cities and towns today.

WILD ANIMALS EAT HINDOOS

Brockton Times: The British king and queen will be entertained for a while in a land that affords perhaps the best facilities in the world for being eaten by wild beasts, though we may assume that their majesties will be properly guarded against any such unhappy fate. In India, according to figures recently compiled, 24,878 persons were killed by wild animals last year, and the number of human victims is rising steadily. The number of animals killed was 110,386. Of the human victims, however, 22,478 were killed by snakes, which can hardly be considered in the wild animal class. Of the quadrupeds the tiger is most terrible, being responsible for 853 deaths, while 1421 tigers were killed. Some have called the leopard more dangerous, but last year his victims were but 351, not many more than the 319 devoured by the wolf pack. India is a very old and densely populated country, but much of it is still given over to jungle, especially on the east side of the plateau. Moreover, the natives are, for the most part, unarmed, and too poor to buy guns, so that a maneater may ravage the countryside for some time before disposed of. Especially dreaded is the vicious elephant. Of these but 23 were killed in 1910, while 55 persons were killed by elephants. When the colonel again goes hunting he might go where he would do the most good.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

In celebration of the 20th anniversary of the inauguration of Dr. Chas. F. Thwing as president of the Western Reserve university, the trustees of the university have formally presented to the university a portrait of President Thwing, painted by the English artist, Herman Harkemer. The portrait is a three-quarter length oil painting, and at the request of the trustees, President Thwing sat for it when in London last summer. It will be placed in the trustees' and faculty room of Adelbert college. The portrait was accompanied by a presentation letter, which expressed the appreciation and congratulations of the trustees, and extolled President Thwing and his administration.

Charles J. Chamberlain, assistant professor of botany at the University of Chicago, is doing research work in the Far East. In the course of his investigations Professor Chamberlain will visit eastern and southern New Zealand, eastern and western Australia, and southern and western Africa.

The famous lucky petticoat of the Stroud family is now on its way to McKinney, Tex., where Miss Rosabel Hines will be the 19th bride to wear it. The petticoat was made 55 years ago by Miss Emma Stroud at Madison, Ga. She saved it for her daughters and now her granddaughters are wearing it.

J. T. Trowbridge, now in his eighty-fifth year, sailed from Boston Saturday on the White Star S. S. Romanic for Genoa. This will be Mr. Trowbridge's ninth trip to Europe. He will spend the winter on the Riviera, incidentally visiting Monte Carlo and other noted resorts. Mr. Trowbridge is in the best of health and looking forward to his trip with all the enthusiasm of youth.

Through the generosity of William Metcalf, Jr., '01, of Pittsburgh, two scholarships have been established in the Cornell college of law in memory of Alexander Hugh Ross Fraser, late librarian. The scholarships are to be awarded at the beginning of the senior year upon the basis of high standing in studies and character, the senior class electing the holders from a list of eligible men submitted by the faculty. By vote of the senior class the first scholarship of $100 has been awarded to W. B. Flannery of Addison, N. Y., and the second of $50 to N. E. Wait of Fort Edward, N. Y.

A gift of $50,000 worth of vacuum cleaners has been made to the Red Cross to be used as prizes for those who sell the most Red Cross seals, the money from which goes to fight tuberculosis. Some of the prizes will be stationary vacuum cleaning systems, worth about $3000, and awarded to schools in thirteen states and New York city selling the most Red Cross seals. One hundred suction cleaners, worth about $65 each, are prizes for individuals.

Mt. Merci Convent and Academy corporation has been incorporated at Waterville, Me., for the purpose of maintaining a boarding school for girls, under the control of a Roman Catholic sisterhood. An estate of 40 acres with a large house and other buildings for the farm has been secured. Rt. Rev. Louis Walsh, bishop of Portland, is president of the corporation, and the treasurer and clerk is Emma St. Onge, who is the head of the school.

Mrs. Mary L. Carver, widow of Hon. Leonard D. Carver, retired on December 1, from her position as cataloguer of the Maine State library, at Augusta. Mrs. Carver, whose maiden name was Mary Lowe, is a native of Waterville. She was the first woman student of Colby college at Waterville after that institution opened its doors to women, and for two years was the only woman student there. Her graduation in 1876 is claimed to have been the first graduation in New England by a woman who had taken the full classical and mathematical course prescribed for the men students in a college. She taught in high schools until her marriage. Her husband was for twenty-one years state librarian, and under his direction the collection of books was changed from a "hit-or-miss" lot of printed stuff to an orderly and useful, as well as valuable, state library. Mrs. Carver's intelligence was a great help to her husband, and gradually the work of cataloguing became her direct care. After his death seven years ago she was retained in that work. Nearly all of the more than 100,000 cards in the card catalogue are filled out in her legible penmanship. Mrs. Carver is a member of many literary societies and of the Unitarian church, but her chief pride among her affiliations is the college sorority, Sigma Kappa, of which she was one of the organizers of the first chapter.

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ILLUSTRATED HEALTH TALK

Dr. R. J. Meigs and Rev. C. T. Billings will be the speakers in the Health Talk Course at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. Stereopticon views will be used to illustrate the subject, "The Conservation of the Senses." The lecture will begin at 7.30 p. m. Ladies as well as gentlemen are invited.

How to Destroy the Dandruff Germ

BY A SPECIALIST

That the dandruff germ is responsible for nearly all the diseases to which the scalp is heir, as well as for baldness and premature gray hair, is a well known fact, but when we realize that it is also indirectly responsible for many of the worst cases of catarrh and consumption, we appreciate the importance of any agent that will destroy its power. We are, therefore, particularly pleased to give herewith the prescription which an eminent scientist states he has found, after repeated tests, to completely destroy the dandruff germ in from one to three applications. It will also almost immediately stop falling hair and it has in numerous cases produced a new hair-growth after years of baldness. The prescription can be made up at home, or any druggist will put it up for you: 6 ounces Bay Rum, 2 ounces Lavona de Composee, one-half drachm Menthol Crystals. Mix thoroughly, and after standing half an hour it is ready for use. Apply night and morning, rubbing into the scalp with the fingertips. If you wish it perfumed, add half a teaspoonful of To-Kalon Perfume, which unites perfectly with the other ingredients. While this preparation is not a dye, it is unequalled for restoring gray hair to its original color.

Caution: Do not apply where hair is not desired and be sure to avoid tonics containing poisonous wood alcohol.

Before publication we presented this prescription to the Riker-Jaynes Drug Co., this city, and they state that they have filled it many times for their patrons who report most astonishing results from its use.

COURT WAS CLOSED

Because of Epidemic of Smallpox

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Dec. 6.—The serious epidemic of smallpox in this section of the state kept every one of the jury panel from attending the December term of the Caledonia county court which opened yesterday. Although it is considered that the spread of the disease has been checked, President C. S. Caverly of the state board of health instructed the men that they had better remain at home.

As a result, Judge W. W. Miles announced he would not hear any cases that require a jury or witnesses. Other business will be done, and the court will take a recess until the danger passes.

In various places near St. Johnsbury there have been several hundred cases. Four cases in Lyndon, north of St. Johnsbury caused considerable alarm.

Except for the cases in Lyndon there has been no spread of the disease during the week, but there are still many cases in families previously infected. The towns having one or more cases are Danville, Walden, Hardwick, Greensboro, Craftsbury, Sheffield, Stannard and Lyndon.

No deaths have been reported, but physicians fear the cold weather may result fatally in some instances.

JAIL SENTENCE

FOR THE ALLEGED ROTTEN EGG KING

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Louis Strudler of the firm of Blinder & Strudler, wholesale butter and egg merchants at 197 Duane street, was sentenced yesterday to serve 30 days in the city prison after being convicted of selling rotten eggs for food.

Two informations come before the court. The first charges that on June 5 the defendant had for sale three 30-pound cans of liquid rots and spots. The second charge was that on Sept. 15 he had 7½ cases of rots and spots still unbroken.

Dr. McMillan of the department of health testified that he made an examination of the eggs and found them putrid and unfit for human consumption.

Justice McInerney, who was presiding, said that the courts had convicted many little egg dealers. What he wanted was to get one of the men higher up in the industry.

"You have one of them before you," replied Assistant Corporation Counsel Harry Sullivan. "This man is one of the rotten egg kings of New York. He has made a big fortune by selling rotten eggs for food purposes to small dealers and bakers.

HELD SMOKE TALK

A very successful smoke talk was held last night in the rooms of the Pawtucketville Social club in Moody street under the auspices of the "Caisse Nationale de Benefices," a branch of the Artisans Canadiens Francais. The affair was presided over by L. C. Gelinas, who was presented by W. W. Thibodeau.

The program consisted of a game of whist, songs and recitations, those taking part being David Houde, A. Cote, Henry Daigle, J. Ayotte, O. Hebert and A. Fionet. Refreshments, pipes and tobacco were served.

The lucky number prizes were given out as follows: First prize, a handsome wicker chair, O. Cote; picture frame, David Houde; parlor table, O. Chaudonnet; art square, Miss Corinne Alexander.

The committee in charge consisted of P. Leblanc, A. N. Boulais, G. Rivard, J. E. Lambert, S. Matton and President W. W. Thibodeau, ex-officio.

LADIES' AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

The Ladies' auxiliary, A. O. H., met in regular session last evening and attended to considerable important business, chiefly the election of officers for the coming year, which resulted as follows:

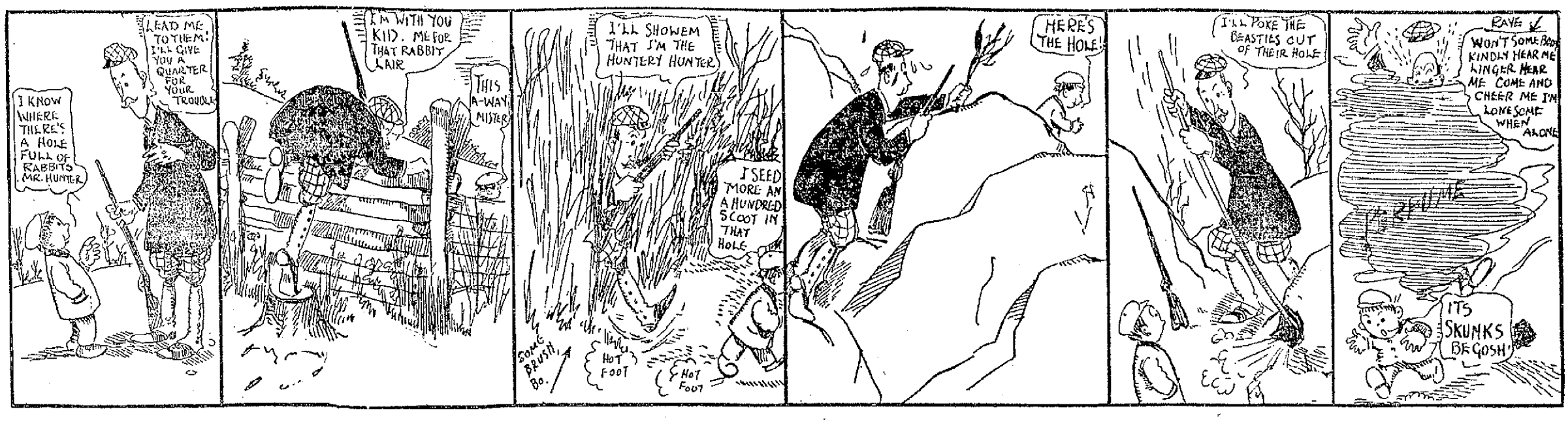
President, Miss Delia T. O'Brien; vice president, Mrs. Nellie Haviland; recording secretary, Miss Catherine A. Gaffney; financial secretary, Miss Della Clancy; mistress at arms, Miss Della Fitzgerald; sentinel, Mrs. Curran; physician, Dr. Boyle; spiritual director, Rev. Dr. Kelcher; pianist, Miss Mollie Handley; committee on sick, chairlady, Miss Lucy Sheridan, Miss Mary Lee, Miss Mary Rogers; finance committee, chairlady, Mrs. Catherine V. Lyons, Mrs. Norah Sheridan, Miss Delia Conway; standing committee, chairlady, Mrs. McLoughlin, Mrs. Reilly, Mrs. Reardon, Mrs. Ogg, Miss Nellie Kelly. The installation of these officers will be held in January.

SHORT LASHES DETRACT FROM NATURAL BEAUTY

The long fringe of silken, curly eyelashes lends a subtle charm and attractiveness to expressive eyes, and if the lashes are short and thin they should be gently brushed each day, then pyroxin applied to the lash roots with thumb and forefinger. This treatment induces them to grow long, thick and silky, with a rich curl.

Thin eyebrows can be made to come in thick and silky by applying the pyroxin with the finger tips each day. Any druggist can supply pyroxin in a 2-ounce original package for about a dollar, and no harm can possibly result from its use. Care should be taken, however, not to get any where no hair is wanted.

MR. I. L. SHOWEM GOES RABBIT HUNTING



SELECTING A JURY

To Try the Indicted Chicago Meat Packers

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Selection of a jury in the United States district court to try ten indicted Chicago meat-packers on the charge of criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law was expected to begin today before Judge George Carpenter. The packers are J. Ogden Armor, Louis E. Swift, Edward F. Swift, Charles F. Swift, Edward Tilden, Arthur Meeker, Edward Morris, Francis A. Fowler, T. J. Connors, Louis Heyman.

Rumors of new moves by the packers were many. One was that the packers would appear and plead guilty. This would make useless all the results of months of investigation and preparation on the part of the government, would place the packers in no greater jeopardy than an unsuccessful outcome of the case, which would otherwise drag on for months and, many contend would put the packers in a better position than they would be in if they lost their suit.

AMERICA'S RELIGION

Is Non-Religion Said Rabbi Fleischer Last Night

At a meeting of the Lowell Congregational club held last night in the Trinitarian church, Rabbi Charles Fleischer of Boston, spoke on "America's Religion." Mr. Fleischer was introduced by the club president, Rev. A. F. Dunnels, and said in part:

"America's religion is in the main, non-religion. Not more than 35 per cent. of the population is affiliated with one or the other of the religious organizations; and that includes the very latest, Christian Science, and Mazdaznanism—made in Lowell. I am not pessimistic for that reason; on the contrary, I feel today that the non-religion of America is prophetic of the finer religion that is to be.

"If you ask me why there is a non-religion in America today, it is mainly because the Hebraic-Christian cult which we have imported into America had its origin in Asia and was brought here from Europe, and does not fit America. It seems strange and foreign to us, and instinctively we will have none of it.

"Judaism was an ethnic faith. I believe that here in America we shall develop an ethnic faith. Christianity was simply Judaism plus, or, from one point of view, Judaism minus; for I can see that much was lost in going from Judaism to Christianity. But from the viewpoint of Christians, Christianity was the ancient agricultural religion plus the other-worldliness of the life of Jesus and his immediate successors. It did express the thoughts and aspirations of the primitive Christians; but travel westerly, and you will find that this type of religion fitted less and less, the people to whom it came. Import it into America, and you find the Old Testament Christians, the Puritans, attempting on this American soil to establish practically a commonwealth of the time of the judges in Palestine. That worked well while the little group remained puritan. But as the population became varied,—as those came over whose ancestors missed the first boat—the Puritan religion less and less fitted American life, because less and less it represented what Americans really believed in, what they really were concerned for. Less and less it had to do with our actual relationships as a people. Therefore we find a John D. Rockefeller, a god from whom oil blessings flow, a Morgan, the organizer and Morganizer of our industries, and a James Schiff, Jew of Jews, and yet another benevolent assimilator of American capital and common-wealth.

"Let preachers thunder as they may, while they use the ancient injunctions, while they cite the ancient authorities and say 'Thus saith the Lord,' Somehow they fail to touch these men and their millions of followers and imitators. The Hebraic-Christian cult, imported from Asia through Europe, does not, somehow, fit. It is the religion of a little group of agriculturists living in Asia, plus that other—worldliness that came from Jesus and his immediate successors.

"Our religion as a people must be the spiritual expression of our characteristics, our qualities, our relationships; must be the idealism of our active interests.

"Do not tell me that such a religion will be cold-blooded and merely intellectual and scientific. Take the story of the creation, in the first chapter of Genesis. That story is a scientific statement of the belief of a seer of that day, regarding the religion of the world and man. There is nothing essentially warm about that, but we lived with it long enough to make it take on spirituality and to be infused with moral warmth."

Contrasting a modern astronomical calculation, and its suggestion of infinity, with the book of Genesis, he said, "Relatively and absolutely, it is more spiritual, compared with the naive utterances of that ancient seer of the cosmogony; much more spiritual than this bit of ancient heritage of scientific teachings which we find in the first chapters of the Bible."

Mr. Albert Edmund Brown was the soloist of the evening and, before the dinner, there was a social half hour, with an organ recital by Miss Mabelle Sullivan.

Rev. F. G. Alger reported for the home work committee, on the special

REV. F. G. ALGER,
Who Reported For Home Work.

work of the various churches in the city. Harold A. Varnum, for the membership committee, proposed two names and they were voted into membership in the club. Mr. Alger also, for the home work committee, offered a resolution which was adopted, instructing the secretary in behalf of the club to urge the United States senators throughout the state to support President Taft in his effort to secure peace treaties.

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

F. H. Butler, Carleton & Hovey,
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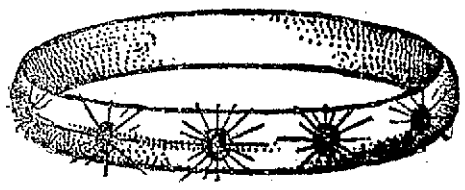

Our store is always first to show the new things that are worth while. We welcome the inspection of every lover of beautiful things and a call at our store never means that you are expected to buy unless you are sure that the greatest intrinsic value and the most artistic designs are shown. Such jewelry as we show is the work of both artist and artisan.

Ask to see our line of Toilet Sets and Military Brushes at

FRANK RICARD'S 636 Merrimack St.

SUES FOR $10,000

Woman Alleges Breach of Promise

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Alexene Hadlock of Winthrop and Roxbury entered suit in the superior court yesterday for $10,000 against Charles J. Gorman, a theatrical manager, for alleged breach of promise. Mrs. Hadlock is the widow of the late Harvey D. Hadlock, who was a prominent lawyer. Mrs. Hadlock declares that Mr. Gorman promised and agreed to marry her; that he courted and protested his love for her several years in messages sent by mail and by telephone and by oft-repeated avowals of undying affection, made by him in person.

She alleges that in token of his affection for her, he gave her various gofts, namely: A solitaire diamond ring, a gold locket inscribed with her and his initials, which also contained a photograph of him; glass tableware engraved with the surname initials of the defendant as a contribution to the equipment of the home to which he promised to take her when he made her his wife.

Her Guest Each Sunday

She further alleges that for many years he called upon and dined with her as her guest every Sunday; consulted with her in the purchase of hosiery, clothing and articles of personal adornment for herself, for many of which, she alleges, he paid with money procured from her.

He deferred marriage on one occasion, she alleges, on the ground that the divorce granted to a former wife legally barred his marriage at that time. On another occasion, she says, he postponed the wedding because of a death in his family. During all this time he escorted her to social gatherings and places of public amusement, introduced her to his friends and acquaintances and conducted himself generally and openly as her accepted suitor.

Relying upon his declarations and manifestations of love and devotion, and in consideration of his promise to marry her, and sympathizing with him in the adversity which pursued, or seemed to pursue, his business enterprises, and being affectionately anxious to aid him, she alleges, she gave him large sums of money.

She also says that she gave him, at different times, three automobiles; that she paid his office rent, telephone bills, and other expenses of his business. She also alleges that she provided clothing, living apartments, food, laundry service for him when he was without means to provide for himself. She says she believed he loved her and that she loved him and relied upon his promise to marry her, and at all times she has been ready and willing to marry him, but he has refused to carry out his program.

HARRIMAN WAS BURIED

Socialists Meet Serious Reverse in Los Angeles Election

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 6.—Socialism as enunciated by Job Harriman and Alexander Irving went down to defeat in Los Angeles yesterday by an overwhelming majority. Mayor George Alexander, leading the good government forces, was re-elected by a majority that will reach 40,000 over Harriman, the socialist candidate. Indications early today are that the entire good government ticket has been carried to victory in the landslide.

Harriman made a surprisingly poor race. In many precincts where he had a majority in the primaries a month ago he fell far short in yesterday's balloting. In his own precinct he lost by a vote of 1537 to 192.

"It was the vote of the women that returned Alexander to office and snowed under the socialists," said Field Captain Jeannette Converse of the Woman's Progressive league. "Out of a registration of approximately 70,000 women 95 per cent. voted and of these 75 per cent. voted for Alexander."

Three hundred incomplete precincts showed clearly that the prohibition amendment was lost.

WIFE MISSING

HUSBAND SAYS SHE TOOK BAGGAGE WITH HER

TOPSHAM, Me., Dec. 6.—Joseph Hill Foster, a Cathance farmer, reported yesterday that his wife was missing.

She disappeared Monday, he claims, at or about the same time that H. H. Gilmore, the Maine Central railroad station agent at Cathance, also dropped out of sight. Mrs. Foster took a trunk and suit case with her and left no word with her husband, nor did Gilmore, so far as can be learned, notify the railroad officials of his departure.

Mr. Foster said last night that he had not yet decided what course of action to adopt.

Mrs. Foster was formerly Evie Hunter, the daughter of a farmer of this town. She is about 32 years old and had been married to Mr. Foster some years, but they had no children.

Gilmore had been station agent at Cathance for five months, coming here from Detroit, Me.

M. E. SUPERINTENDENTS MET

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—The tenth convention of the New England Superintendents of the Methodist Episcopal church was held today with 17 delegates present and Rev. H. B. Haskell of Maine presiding. Secretary Shaw of St. Albans stated that the convention would discuss many subjects connected with the denomination with the idea of making suggestions to the general convention next May.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

Come Tomorrow to One of the Greatest Hosiery Sales Ever Held in New England

$8,000.00 Worth of the Celebrated Black Cat Stockings

To be Sold at Half Regular Prices

This tremendous stock of this well known brand of hosiery was purchased from the Underwriters' Salvage Co., who sold it to us in the settlement of a fire claim. The goods—the stockings themselves—are not a bit damaged, and consequently at the prices we offer represent some of the Biggest Hosiery Values ever seen in this section.

The Black Cat Hosiery Co., in their circular to the trade, claim the following in emphasizing the quality of their goods—

Children's Hose Have extended heel, linen heel and toe, fast dyes, triple knee, re-enforced right—all of which goes to make them WEAR.

Ladies' Hose Have extended heel, elastic toe, re-enforced right, tested yarns, "comfit," beautiful finish, giving them not only wear but comfort and STYLE.

Men's Hose Have extended heel, elastic toe, re-enforced heel and toe, tested yarn, lustre and excellent FIT.

Black Cat Hose For Women

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, extra heavy, double toe and heel.....**Only 9c a pair**
3 pairs for 25c. Reg. price 12 1-2c pair

Ladies' Tan Cotton Hose, Maco yarn. **Only 9c a pair**
3 pairs for 25c. Were 12 1-2c pair.

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, double soles and heels. Were 25c. **Only 12 1-2c a pair**

Ladies' Tan Cotton Hose, Maco yarn. Were 25c.....**Only 12 1-2c a pair**

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, ribbed, very elastic. Were 25c. **Only 12 1-2c a pair**

Ladies' Black Fleeced Hose, double soles, ribbed. Were 25c.....**Only 15c a pair**

Ladies' Black Merino Hose, double soles. Were 25c.....**Only 12 1-2c a pair**

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, full fashioned. Were 25c.....**Only 17c a pair.**

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, white soles, double heels. Were 25c. **Only 17c a pair**

Ladies' Heavy Black Fleeced Hose, double soles. Were 25c.....**Only 17c a pair**

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, outsizes, double soles. Were 25c. **Only 12 1-2c a pair**

West Section—Left Aisle

Black Cat Hose For Children

Children's Heavy Black Cotton Hose, triple knee, double toe and heel. **Only 9c a pair**
3 pairs for 25c.

Children's Heavy Fleeced Hose, double linen knee.....**Only 9c a pair**
3 pairs for 25c.

Children's Heavy Merino Hose, double knee and heel. Were 25c.....**Only 15c a pair**

Children's Black Silk Lisle Hose, triple knee. Were 25c.....**Only 12 1-2c a pair**

Children's Tan Silk Lisle Hose, triple knee. Were 25c .....**Only 12 1-2c a pair**

Children's Tan Cotton Hose, triple linen knee. Were 25c. **Only 12 1-2c a pair**

Children's Extra Heavy Fleeced Hose, triple knees. Were 25c.....**Only 15c a pair**

West Section—Left Aisle

Black Cat Hose For Men

Men's Black and Oxford Gray Wool and Cashmere Half-Hose, medium and heavy weight.....**Only 15c a pair**
2 pairs for 25c. Regular price 25c pair

Men's Heavy Cotton Hose, black and tan, double heel and toe.....**Only 9c a pair**
3 pairs for 25c. Regular price 15c pair

Men's Fine Cotton and Lisle Hose, black and colors, extra fine, re-enforced heel and toe.....**Only 15c a pair**
2 pairs for 25c. Regular price 25c pair

Fine Cotton Hose, black and colors. **Only 9c a pair**
3 pairs for 25c.
Reg. price 15c; 2 pairs for 25c.

SPECIAL
MEN'S FINE SILK LISLE HOSE, black and colors.
Only 15c a Pair
2 pairs for 25c.
Regular price 25c a pair.

East Section—Left Aisle

THE FRENCH GUARDS

To Have Armory of Their Own in West Centralville

In two weeks ground will be broken for an armory in West Centralville, for the use of the French guards of this city. This building which according to plans will be a magnificent edifice will be erected on Riverview street by the members of Garde Jacques-Cartier. The guards first proposed to build a large hall in that vicinity, but later plans were changed and instead an armory will be constructed.

At the present time there are five companies of French guards in the city, and they cannot secure a proper place for drilling purposes, but with the new building their wants will be satisfied.

Contractor H. O. Drolet is now working on the plans which will be finished in a couple of weeks at which time the work will be started and pushed hurriedly. The building will be a wooden structure 50x120 feet, two stories high with two towers. It will be equipped with large circular top windows and circular top doors. The basement which will be well lighted will contain bowling alleys, pool and billiard tables and shower baths, as well as a small gymnasium.

On the street floor there will be a large entrance leading into the arcade. On this floor will be a smoking room and ladies' reception room as well as a checking room; these apartments to be in the front part, while on the same floor will also be a drill room and an open staircase leading to the second floor. The drill room will be 50x100 feet. The floors all over the building will be of maple, while the inner walls will be sheathed. In the drill room will be installed 20 circular windows, thus making the place well lighted.

The second floor will contain six rooms for the officers and members of the guard. These rooms will be well furnished and the approximate cost of the building will be $10,000.

The contractor expects to have his plans finished in two weeks, and the work will be started at once under his supervision, while the workmen will be all members of the guard.

The drill room will also be let for meeting purposes and it is probable that it will be equipped with a stage and all facilities for amateur performances.

Garde Jacques-Cartier was instituted about three years ago and it now has a membership of 35 men, all active workers, Joseph L. Pigeon is the captain and president of the organization and under his command the guard is progressing rapidly. The building it is expected will be completed in the early spring at which time a grand social event will be held.

Lowell, Wednesday, December 6, 1911

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

We Place On Sale Today

A SPECIAL LOT OF

HORSE BLANKETS

Which are slightly damaged by fire, smoke and water at ONE-HALF the regular price.

STREET AND STABLE BLANKETS, SUMMER STABLE BLANKETS AND COOLERS AT GREAT SAVINGS.

Heavy Street Blankets

In all sizes, striped and checked, very slightly burned on the edges. $1.50 to $2.50 value, at each.............. 89c

Square Blankets

Very heavy quality, striped and checked, made with a seam in the centre. Damaged by water. $1.00 to $2.00 value, at, each 35c

Also about 25 Burlap Stable Blankets, slightly burned. $1.00 value, at, each.......... 50c

Summer Stable Blankets

Made of good burlap, all sizes, slightly damaged by water. $1.00 and $1.50 value, at, each.............. 50c

Horse Coolers

Large sizes and large assortment of plaids, slightly damaged by smoke. $1.50 value, at, each.............. 75c

THURSDAY SPECIAL

125 Wool Blankets at

$2.00 Each

Just received from the manufacturer 125 single blankets, made of fine California wool, nicely finished with taffeta binding, blanket made to retail at $6.50 pair. Thursday special, each $2.00

HUCK TOWELS

Extra large and heavy union huck towels, plain and colored borders, 19c value, at, each............ 10c

GINGHAM

One case of good dress gingham in remnants, checked and large plaids, 10c value on the piece. Thursday special, yard 5c

YARD WIDE PERCALE

Good quality of yard wide percale in remnants, 10c value. Thursday special, yard......................... 5c

TABLE OIL CLOTH

5-4 wide oil cloth, white and colored, 20c value. Thursday special, yard.................... 12½c

BASEMENT

GOOD JUDGMENT SUGGESTS—

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

THE REPUBLICANS

WILL BE ASKED TO MEET IN ST. LOUIS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—St. Louis wants the national republican convention and an organized effort was started today to persuade the members of the national committee when they meet here next Tuesday to choose that city. Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel, Missouri's member of the national commission, has been conducting a quiet campaign for some time in behalf of his home city and he was reinforced today with the arrival of Governor Hadley of Missouri and Postmaster Aiken of St. Louis. Sidney Bieber, the member from the district of Columbia, is strongly in favor of St. Louis and will join in the movement for sending the convention there.

The progressive members of the committee will urge that presidential primaries be held for the selection of delegates to the national convention. Friends of President Taft contend that the national committee should leave the manner of selecting delegates to the republican state committees. President Taft will give a dinner at the White House to the members of the committee on the night of Dec. 11.

WOLGAST IS IMPROVING

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 6.—Another favorable bulletin was given out last night on the condition of Lightweight Champion Wolgast.

"He is doing fine and will be out in no time. There are no signs of any setback in his condition" said the bulletin.

IN A BAD CONDITION

Continued

in a wretched condition. There are trees which obstruct traffic and while heavy vehicles are bothered, electric cars, light delivery wagons and other vehicles meet with difficulty, and pedestrians are also inconvenienced.

While the double railing of the street is one of the principal causes of trouble there are various other reasons. The street in the first place is not up to grade and even the curbings and cross walks are in such a condition that it is dangerous for drivers of automobiles, wagons or pedestrians to go through the street.

It is only about four years ago that the administratrix of the Barrows estate at Davis square gave the city four feet of their land in order to widen the square and street, but the city failed to remove a number of trees which are a source of annoyance as well as danger to people.

There are two large trees on the western side of Gorham street, near Madison street, which project into the road, and are a danger to carriages and automobiles. Just a short distance above there is another tree which abuts on the street, while on the other side of the street there are two trees. Near several of the trees there are ruts which allow the wheels of a wagon to drop into the declivity and cause the hood of the carriage or automobile to strike the tree which generally means the loss of a cover.

Near Butler avenue there is another tree which enters into the street making it dangerous for traffic. Near Carter street there is a tree which should be lowered.

The conditions in Gorham street are such that they should be attended to at an early opportunity. A good start has been made in the repaving of the lower end of the street, but there should be something done, and done at once, in the other portion of the street.

Aside from the fact that the street is narrow and there are many trees in the way of vehicles, making it dangerous for travel, the pavement is so bad that it is a menace to people who have occasion to pass through that street. There is more heavy traffic through Gorham street than in any other street in the city. All of the heavy vehicles which convey goods from the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad storehouses pass through Gorham street, the majority of coal houses in the city are located in that vicinity and their wagons traverse the street and many other trucks pass over that thoroughfare. Many times it is necessary for some of the heavy vehicles to enter a side street either to escape coming in contact with an electric car or to avoid the rough pavements.

Capt. Charles D. Foley of Engine 1, of the fire department, is one of the main boosters for the improvement of the street, for he as well as many others has had occasion to feel the effect of the deplorable state. It is a well known fact that every time the members of Engine Co. No. 1 are called out on an alarm they have to pass through Gorham street. Care has got to be taken in order that the apparatus is not smashed to pieces or that the men are not injured.

The dangerous portions of the street are many, but according to Capt. Foley, there is no worse place than at the corner of Gorham and Moore streets, where it is necessary for the drivers of the different pieces of apparatus to bring their vehicles almost to a standstill in order to travel over the depressions and uprisings.

Speaking about the poor condition of that particular part of the street it might be well to say that during the stormy weather there is a flood of water near the corner of Gorham and Moore streets which makes it almost impossible to cross the street.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE LOWELL, MASS. HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE ATTRACTIONS

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MR. P. WALDRON EDMUNDS'

Concert and Vaudeville Entertainment

KITSON HALL, Y. W. C. A., JOHN ST.

Wednesday, Dec. 6, 1911

At 7.45 P. M.

Tickets 25c. Reserved Seats 50c.

For sale at Kershaw's, 115 Central st. Turcotte's, 349 Merrimack st., or at doors.

GRAND

Operatic Concert

By Artists from the Boston Opera House

TOMORROW, Thursday, at 8

COLONIAL HALL

TICKETS 50c TO $1.00

For sale at Steinert's, 130 Merrimack street. The Hume Piano Used.

MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE

SPECIAL ATTRACTION

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday

"ARRAH-NA-POGUE"

An Irish Drama in Three Acts

Biggest and Best Photo-Play Ever Produced

Other Attractions

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RELIABILITY

214 MERRIMACK STREET

The Snappy Christmas Values

At "The Store of Quality" this week, and your appreciation of our Special pricings as an inducement to turn the early shopping movement into an accomplished fact, was fully borne out Monday and Tuesday. We thank you sincerely for your generous response and we urge a continuance of enthusiasm for the balance of the week. The Special prices named in Monday's advertisement on HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, HOSIERY and NECKWEAR holds good until and including Saturday, December 9. Two additional items—WAISTS and CORSETS—Nemo Corsets, if you please, at very much below regular prices, just for Bargain Thursday.

Remember the Waists and Corsets are for Thursday Only

In case you've forgotten Monday's advertised items, just ask your friends who already have purchased, or better still, here they are in condensed form:

25c Armenian Hand Sewn, Lace Edge Pure Linen Handkerchiefs .. 15c Each, $1.75 Doz.

25c Plain Hemstitched Pure Linen, 12½c Each, $1.50 Doz.

25c Swiss Embroidered Lawns, 12½c Each, $1.50 Doz.

No. 817 Pure Linen, Wreath Initial, the best value ever offered, per box of six 65c

Innisfail Hand Embroidered Pure Linen, 25c and 50c

Lace Edge Dimities, very desirable 12½c

Children's Linen, Hemstitched, Initial, per box of 3 .... 25c

Children's Lawn, colored borders, per box of 3 15c

Men's Pure Linen, Hemstitched, Initial, box of 6 65c

Men's Pure Linen, Hemstitched, plain, each 12½c

Men's Pure Linen, Hemstitched, Initial, Old English letter 25c

Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched, initial 50c

Men's 50c Pure Silk Sox, plain and combination colorings 40c

Men's Silk Sox, black, navy, gray, tan 25c

Men's Silk Lisle, black, navy, gray, tan... 25c

Lawn Aprons, beautifully trimmed, 25c, 50c, 75c

50c Neckwear numbers 25c

12 Button, White Washable Dogskin Gloves, $1.98

$1.50 Black and White Dogskin Gloves, Imported cape stock with spear point embroidery, $1.00

Waists for Bargain Thursday Only

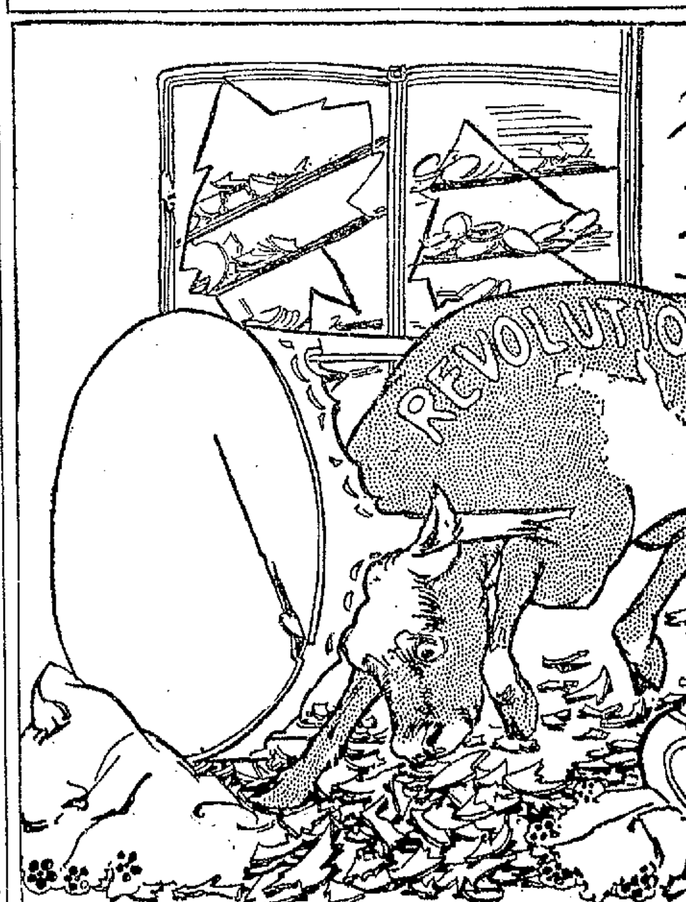
300 Tailored Waists, six very pretty patterns to choose from. They are sold in other stores in the city for 98c, and we consider them a bargain at that figure. You may choose Thursday in fancy Christmas boxes at only.................................. 79c

Not More Than Two to Any One Customer.

Nemo Corsets at Half Price

Models 320 and 405, sold all over the United States at $3.00 and $4.00 respectively. Our price for Bargain Thursday, pair........................ $2.00

THE BULL IN THE CHINA SHOP



Hathaway Theatre

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FAREWELL APPEARANCE —OF THE— DONALD MEEK STOCK CO. —IN—

"Hello, Bill"

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Popular Prices. Matinees Daily

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NEXT WEEK

The Brown-Horton Stock Co., in

"The Chorus Lady"

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TONIGHT

AND THURSDAY, DEC. 6-7

Matinee Thursday

The Merry Musical Extravaganza

THE CAT AND THE FIDDLE

Harry Watson and Co. of Forty

Prices—Night 25c to $1. Mat., 15c, 25c, 50c

SATURDAY, DEC. 9

Imperial Russian Court

Balalaika Orchestra

Prices, $1.50, $1.00, 75c, 50c. Seats Wednesday

SUNDAY NIGHT, DEC. 10

Thomas E. Clifford

And Company In

IRISH SONGS

AND BALLADS

Prices, 50c, 35c, 25c, 15c. Seats now

Academy of Music

AMATEURS TONIGHT

And we are all ready for them. Your money back if we do not make you laugh.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE Julius Cahn Prop. and Mgr.

Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 6-7

MATINEE THURSDAY

CHARLES A. SELLON'S MERRY MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA AND STUPENDOUS TRICK SPECTACLE

THE NEW AMERICAN PANTOMIME

The Cat and the Fiddle

With the Eminent Comedian HARRY B. WATSON as the Care-Free "Happy"

A Cheerful, Comical, Tuneful Fantasy.

"The Cat and the Fiddle" proved to be one of the most amusing and interesting novelties of the season. It is a production with unusual stage settings, novel features and unique scenic tricks, with pleasing comedy and many musical numbers admirably presented.

It is a long time since a similar production has been seen in this city, but it reminds one of the days of Hanlon's Superba. The Devil's Auction and similar plays that depend upon novel tricks and stage effects for their success, but "The Cat and the Fiddle" has the added advantage that it contained the best things seen in such spectacles and many startling features that were original and decidedly interesting.—Portland, Me. Argus, Nov. 28.

PRICES NIGHTS—$1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c. MATINEES—15c, 25c, 50c.

IN A BAD CONDITION

Many Complaints Have Been Received About Gorham Street

Gorham street, one of the principal thoroughfares in this city, is in a deplorable condition. In the first place its width does not allow the passage of an electric car if wagons are standing in certain portions of the street. It is dusty and dirty. There are numerous trees which obstruct traffic, there are pavements which are much below grade, some of the curbings are bad and during the stormy season it is almost impossible for vehicles to ply their way through the street.

Despite the narrowness of the street, that portion of Gorham street between Tower's corner and Union street, is in excellent shape since the block paving with the Hassam treatment, has been installed.

Beyond Union street, however, it is

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HORSE RAN AWAY

A Lively Scene in Prescott Street

There's a window broken in the Standard Supply company's store in Prescott street and it wasn't broken by clerk or pedestrian.

A spirited horse is responsible for the break, but it's the day's best bet that the poor fellow didn't mean it. He got aging and couldn't stop.

He was attached to a runabout and he came along Market street and across Central street. He was aimed for the store and he got there all right.

The window was smashed and the horse went through with it all without serious injury to himself.

The horse was badly cut about the legs. He was owned by a man named Conant.

TARIFF PROGRAM

Will be Outlined by the Democrats Today

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The tariff program of the democratic house of the 62d congress probably will be outlined today at a conference of the democratic members of the house ways and means committee. This committee is headed by Democratic Leader Underwood and democratic members besides the Alabama chairman are Randall, Texas, Harrison, New York, Brantley, Georgia, Shackleford, Missouri, Kitchin, North Carolina, James, Kentucky, Rainey, Illinois, Dixon, Indiana, Hughes, New Jersey, Hull, Tennessee, Hammond, Minnesota, Peters, Massachusetts, and A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania.

There will be a general discussion of the tariff board's forthcoming report on wool and cotton and of the committee's procedure with relation to that document. It will be the committee's first opportunity for a general discussion of the party since the extra session.

The committee is also vested with the responsibility for selection of the committees of the house and vacancies among these committees will be taken up and filed at this meeting according to the plans. The call for the meeting was issued yesterday.

DEMOCRATIC EXPENSES

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—The statement of the receipts and expenditures of the democratic state committee was given out today, showing contributions of $205 and disbursements of $221.08.

The statement makes no mention of the $5,000 which Gov. Foss stated in his return of his election expenses he paid to the "democratic state committee, John F. McDonald, chairman."

The largest contributor was Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lowell, $25.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LYNN BASEBALL TEAM

May be Managed by Fred Lake

There is a strong possibility that Fred Lake will manage the Lynn team of the New England league next season. Lake and Pres. E. B. Fraser, H. S. Cummings and Frank J. Leonard, all directors of the Lynn team, held a conference last night at the American

FRED LAKE.

House, during which the baseball outlook in Lynn was thoroughly discussed. Although no definite understanding was received in regard to Lake assuming the management of the team, that matter being delayed until the directors' meeting next Friday night, it was stated that if Lake is selected he will have entire charge of the team.

Frank J. Leonard managed the team last season and his administration of office was commended, but the directors of the club feel that there is need for an experienced man at the helm next season, which promises to be the best in the history of Lynn.

LARCENY OF $10,000

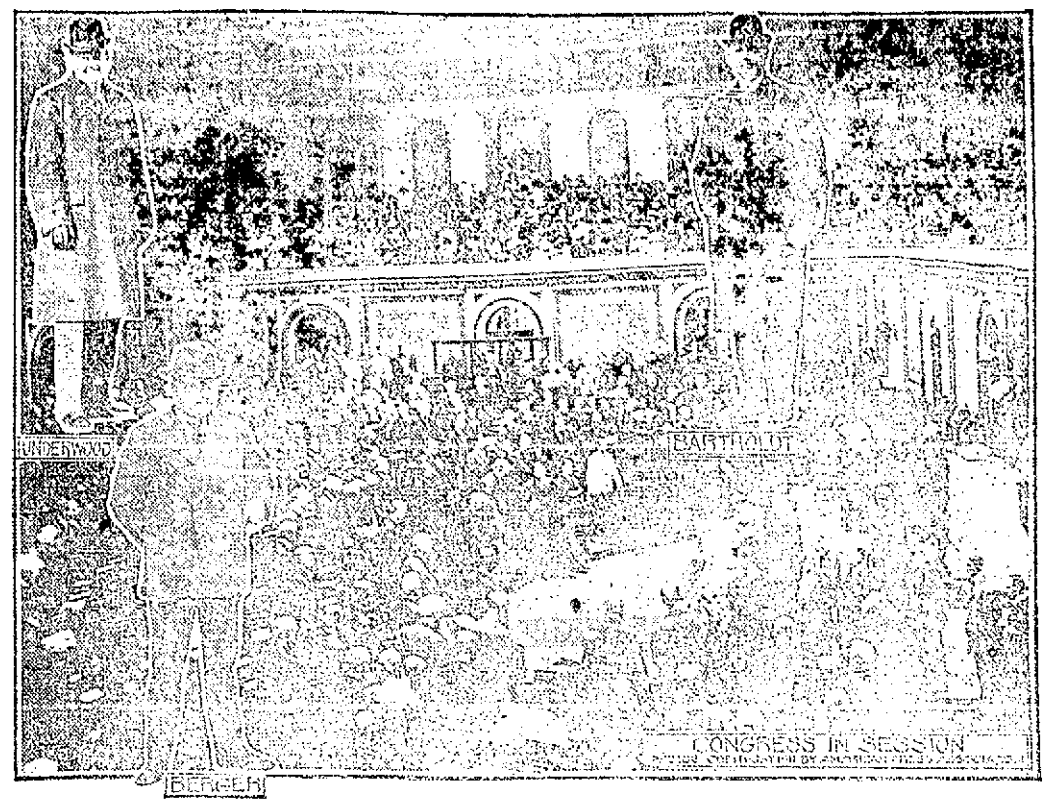
Is the Charge Against a Boston Broker

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Charles E. Brown, a Boston broker, was arraigned in the Brookline police court today on the charge of larceny of $10,000 from A. J. Hayman, a druggist. The evidence in the case was heard in private by Judge Perkins, after which he continued it for disposition until Dec. 15.

TOM LONGBOAT

LONGBOAT, FAMOUS INDIAN, TO TRY HIS HAND AT FIGHTING GAME

TORONTO, Canada, Dec. 6.—Tom Longboat the famous Indian Marathon runner, has decided to try his hand at the fighting game. For several months he has been practicing daily with the mitts and his friends claim he has developed into a clever boxer. Longboat will make his debut in one of the bouts at the show of the National club here Dec. 7. He will weigh in at 150 pounds.



CONGRESS BEGINS SESSION THAT THE LEADERS EXPECT WILL LAST A YEAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Leaders in congress believe that the present session will last far into next fall and may continue until time for the next session to convene. This view is based on a knowledge of the vast amount of work ahead and on the ambitious legislative program prepared by President Taft. Leader Underwood says that this will be the busiest session in fifty years and that there is little likelihood of an adjournment even during the national conventions next summer. Many important bills were introduced on the first day, Representative Berger of Milwaukee, the only socialist in congress, presenting one which would permit the United States to acquire and operate any business concern that markets 40 per cent or more of the output of the country in one line of products. Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the speaker, and Mrs. Underwood, wife of the democratic leader, were interested spectators on the opening day.

THE GIANTS WON

Whalen Put Up a Great Score Last Night

The Giants turned the tables on the Athletics when they met in one of the games in the Concord league series last night. Whalen was traveling like a race horse and just for that he was high man, having two singles over the century mark and his triple was $04. His good bowling was responsible for the victory.

The Office and Kitson teams of the Machine Shop league clashed on the alleys last night and the former team after getting a bad start went right into the game and cleaned up the last two strings and the total, winning the latter by five points.

In the C. Y. M. L. league, Team Three turned the tables on Team One, although the second and third strings were closely fought.

The scores:

CONCORD LEAGUE

Giants

	1	2	3	T'tl
Forbes	84	89	98	271
Kennedy	71	69	85	225
Hyland	97	93	90	280
Whalen	102	105	97	304
Cox	87	91	81	259
Totals	441	447	451	1339

Athletics

Hayes	70	79	96	245
Moran	98	68	90	246
O'Keefe	74	88	80	242
Cole	88	94	86	268
Wm. King	71	82	90	243
Totals	401	411	442	1254

MACHINE SHOP LEAGUE

Office

	1	2	3	T'tl.
Mitchell	80	78	95	253
McKittrick	75	79	84	238
O'Neil	64	73	84	221
Pilkington	86	88	79	253
Baker	83	86	77	246
Totals	388	404	419	1211

Kitson

Harrall	92	77	81	250
Cronin	67	71	81	219
Tucker	81	77	74	232
Langevin	93	83	78	254
Conley	78	81	92	251
Totals	411	389	406	1206

C. Y. M. L. LEAGUE

Team Three

	1	2	3	T'tl.
E. Flynn	79	70	84	233
F. Flynn	84	79	74	237
E. St. Ives	88	86	88	262
C. Young	73	92	77	242
M. Flemings	101	85	92	278
Totals	425	412	415	1252

Team One

J. Shea	70	74	79	223
J. Kane	80	78	87	245
W. Maher	76	78	79	233
W. Sullivan	78	98	84	260
T. Rourke	86	82	81	249
Totals	390	410	410	1210

JUDGE RYAN

REFUSED PRISONER'S REQUEST TO BE SENT TO JAIL

HAVERHILL, Dec. 6.—John Farrell, who claims to belong in Holyoke, found yesterday that it was hard to get sentenced to jail. He apeared in the District court, charged with vagrancy, but Judge Ryan refused to find him guilty.

Farrell told the court that he had lived in Holyoke nearly all his life and that he had not been arrested for 21 years. Recently he began traveling about the state in search of work, and arriving here yesterday applied for lodgings at the police station last night.

Judge Ryan remarked that Farrell was not guilty of vagrancy as he was seeking employment and said that he would not be able to commit him. As Farrell still protested against being discharged Judge Ryan finally continued his case until today and asked City Marshal Mack to investigate his story.

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Factory output—upwards of 100,000 daily. Largest selling brand of 10c cigars in the world. Factory—Manchester, N. H.

DURLAND'S DEATH

Is Being Investigated by Insurance Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The Equitable Life Insurance society has held up payment on a $15,000 policy on the life of H. Kellogg Durland, who died on the night of Nov. 18 in the stateroom of a train about to leave Boston for New York. His wife was in the stateroom at the time. She said that her husband, from whom she was separated, had urged her to commit sui-

MRS. KELLOGG DURLAND

cide with him and when she refused he had taken poison. It is now known that Durland had served papers in a suit for divorce some months before his death. The last premium on the policy was paid by Mrs. Durland only a few days before her husband's death. He was a magazine writer, and she had also written stories and plays. She was once the wife of Robert C. Haines, an actor.

MANSLAUGHTER

IS CHARGED AGAINST TWO BOSTON DRIVERS

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Two deaths of persons run down in the streets of Boston during the past forthnight resulted in the appearance in the city police court yesterday of two men on charges of manslaughter.

One was Arthur J. McGrail of 221 D street, South Boston, driver of a mail team, who is charged with having run down 75-year-old Ronaldo D. Somes of 271 Tremont street, Melrose, at the corner of Milk and Federal streets, on the afternoon of Nov. 24.

Somes, who was connected with a Federal street hardware firm, was on his way to the North station and McGrail was driving a heavy mail truck to the South station to catch a train.

After the accident Mounted Officer Connolly of the City Hall avenue station gave chase to the mail wagon and help up the driver, who, it is charged, admitted he knew he had struck somebody, but imagined that no serious injury had resulted. McGrail was held in $1000 bonds for a hearing Dec. 8.

The other man arraigned on a manslaughter charge was Ralph M. Ivers of 191 Warren avenue, Roxbury, a chauffeur employed by Henry Waldorf of 21 Irving street.

Ivers is charged with having caused the death of Patrick G. Lyon of 99 Warren avenue as the latter was crossing at the corner of Tremont and Jefferson streets in the South End, Nov. 25. He was held in $1000 bonds for a hearing Dec. 12.

LOSS IS $10,000

General Alarm Was Given in Holyoke

HOLYOKE, Dec. 6.—A general alarm was sounded at 6.14 last evening for a blaze in a tenement block on East Dwight street owned by J. H. Fitzsimmons.

The fire caused damage to the block and contents of more than $10,000 before it was extinguished. The blaze started in the boiler room in the rear and spread through the cellar. The water damage on the first and second floors was large.

The tenement of J. A. Jennings was most damaged. The fire is thought to have started from crossed wires in the cellar.

COLORED MAN

TRIED TO SWALLOW GEM, IT IS ALLEGED

PITTSFIELD, Dec. 6.—A well-dressed colored man who gave his name as John Lame of Bridgeport, attempted, it is charged, to swallow a diamond ring in the jewelry store of Edgar R. Whiting on North street, yesterday morning, and would have succeeded, it is claimed, had not the celluloid tag prevented the act. In the Whiting store he is charged with substituting a paste ring in a tray and with trying to swallow the real article.

Mr. Whiting, it is alleged, detected the attempt to substitute the rings and told Lame to give up the diamond. Lame, it is said, claims to have found the ring after the police had been telephoned for. He was arrested as he was about to board a trolley car.

BOXING GOSSIP

One of the most interested men in the bout between Jimmie Moriarty and Honey Mellody before the Lowell Social and Athletic club next Friday evening will be Hector McInness of South Boston, manager of Jimmie Moriarty as the result of a couple of discussions he has had in Boston within the past few days over the comparative merits of the pair. McInness has been telling the Boston sports that Moriarty has improved wonderfully and will have no difficulty in getting a decision over Mellody. The latter's friends believe that Honey has come back and Honey himself says that after defeating Moriarty he is going after the top-notch welterweights of the country. Mellody has been resting up for some time taking on new strength and is confident that he is as good as when he licked Joe Wolcott. McInness says that if Mellody has come back and is as good as ever, then Moriarty is in the championship, for he can't see where Honey is going to have anything on the Lowell boy and has backed his judgment with a substantial wager. It will seem like old times to see Billy Gardner referee the bout between Mellody and Moriarty for Honey put Billy away in 11 rounds way back in 1903. His victory over Billy brought him into prominence and then he went out and licked such men as Patsey Sweeney, Matty Mathews, George Memsic, Terry Martin, Charlie McKeever, Willie Lewis and a host of others including his two victories over Joe Wolcott. Frank Mantel, Mike Twin Sullivan, and Joe Thomas are among the few who have victories over him. Moriarty's record is well known. He has never been put away and is always in good shape.

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SUIT FOR $25,000

Opened Today at the Superior Civil Court

In the case of Edward H. Crosby, dramatic editor of the Boston Post vs. Lyman H. Richards, the jury returned a verdict of $266.38 for the plaintiff.

The case of Peter Libera vs. Mary Sokal to recover $700 loaned to the defendant by the plaintiff, took up the morning session of the court. Nearly all of the witnesses are Poles and required the services of an interpreter. Lawyer Craig of Lawrence represented the defendant while Bennett Silverblatt of this city appeared for the plaintiff. The arguments were made before the noon adjournment.

The jury returned a verdict for the defense.

The next case on the docket was that of Charles F. Andrews vs. Boston and Maine railroad an action of tort in the sum of $25,000. Fred Henry Gile of Boston appears for the plaintiff and Messrs. Trull & Wier for the defendant.

The plaintiff claims that on December 8th, 1910, while sitting in the depot of the Boston and Maine railroad at Clinton, Mass. waiting for a train to Worcester a long freight train which was coming down the grade approaching the depot failed to stop at the proper time and drove a car of the N. Y., N. H. and H. railroad that was just pulling out for Fitchburg through one end of the depot into the room where he was sitting knocking him about and injuring him severely.

The insurance case of Kelly vs. Mutual Life Insurance company have been assigned for trial at the Cambridge session of the superior court now sitting and will be reached within a few days. J. Joseph O'Connor appearing for the plaintiff.

MISS EULAH HITCHCOCK

WOMAN STENOGRAPHER FIGURED IN McNAMARA TRIAL

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 6.—Miss Eula Hitchcock, a stenographer employed by Sam Brown, chief detective for the state in the McNamara case, was largely responsible for the bribery investigation that resulted in the arrest of Bert H. Franklin. Miss Hitchcock who was a confidential assistant to Brown, heard of an alleged plan to "fix" the jury, and she told her superior. A dictograph was then placed in the cell occupied by the McNamaras, and Miss Hitchcock at the other end of the wire overheard conversations that led to the arrest of Franklin.

H. N. White, importer and dealer in Musical Instruments and Merchandise; Music Publisher; Manufacturer of the "King" Band Instruments; Repairing and Plating.
Cleveland, O., Nov. 23, 1911.
James H. Buckley,
Lowell, Mass.
Agent for King Band Instruments, 131 Central St.
Dear Sir:—
Here is a good proposition to help you get sales this month. A case Free with each King Instrument purchased in December.
We will charge for the instrument only and put in a case free as a Christmas gift.
This is a great inducement for holiday purchasers, and if you will get busy and see that this is made known in your locality it is sure to bring good results.
It is an opportunity we may never offer again. Take advantage of it.
Yours truly,
H. N. WHITE.

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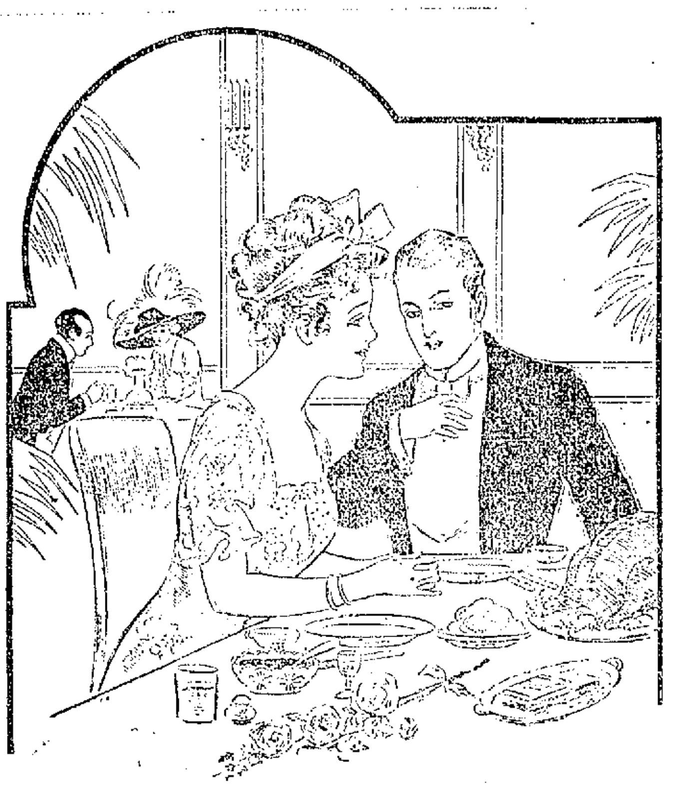


SOMETHING TO BE THANKFUL FOR.

There are a lot of things to be thankful for this year.

What, for instance?

Well, we might be thankful that no matter how high the cost of living gets, it's still worth it.

VERY LIKELY.

"Why do they always make the last Thursday in November, Thanksgiving Day?"

"Thursday after that ain't November, I guess."

What Willie Got.

'TIS the morning of Thanksgiving,
'Tis the day of good mince pie;
'Tis the day of goose and turkey,
When you make the stuffin' fly.

'Tis the day for good sweet cider—
'Tis the day for 'taters mashed;
'Tis the day no weary Willie
Needs feel a bit abashed.

There'll be pumpkin pie a-plenty—
There'll be glorious apple-sass;
And peach preserves a-waitin'
To get at me a pass.

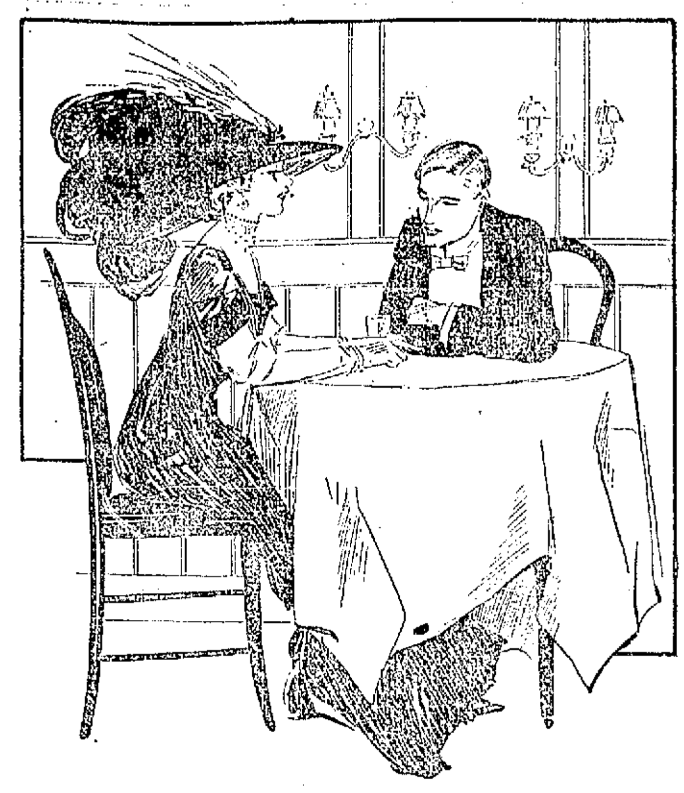
Thus mused the tramp as from the hay
He wriggled out that morn:
His smile so bland—his hopes so high,
So glad that he was born!

All day he tramped—all day he hoped
To come upon the loot;
But when Thanksgiving's sun went down
He'd only got—the boot!

GOOD STUFFING.

"What are you going to stuff your Thanksgiving turkey with?"

"The butcher's bill, I reckon."

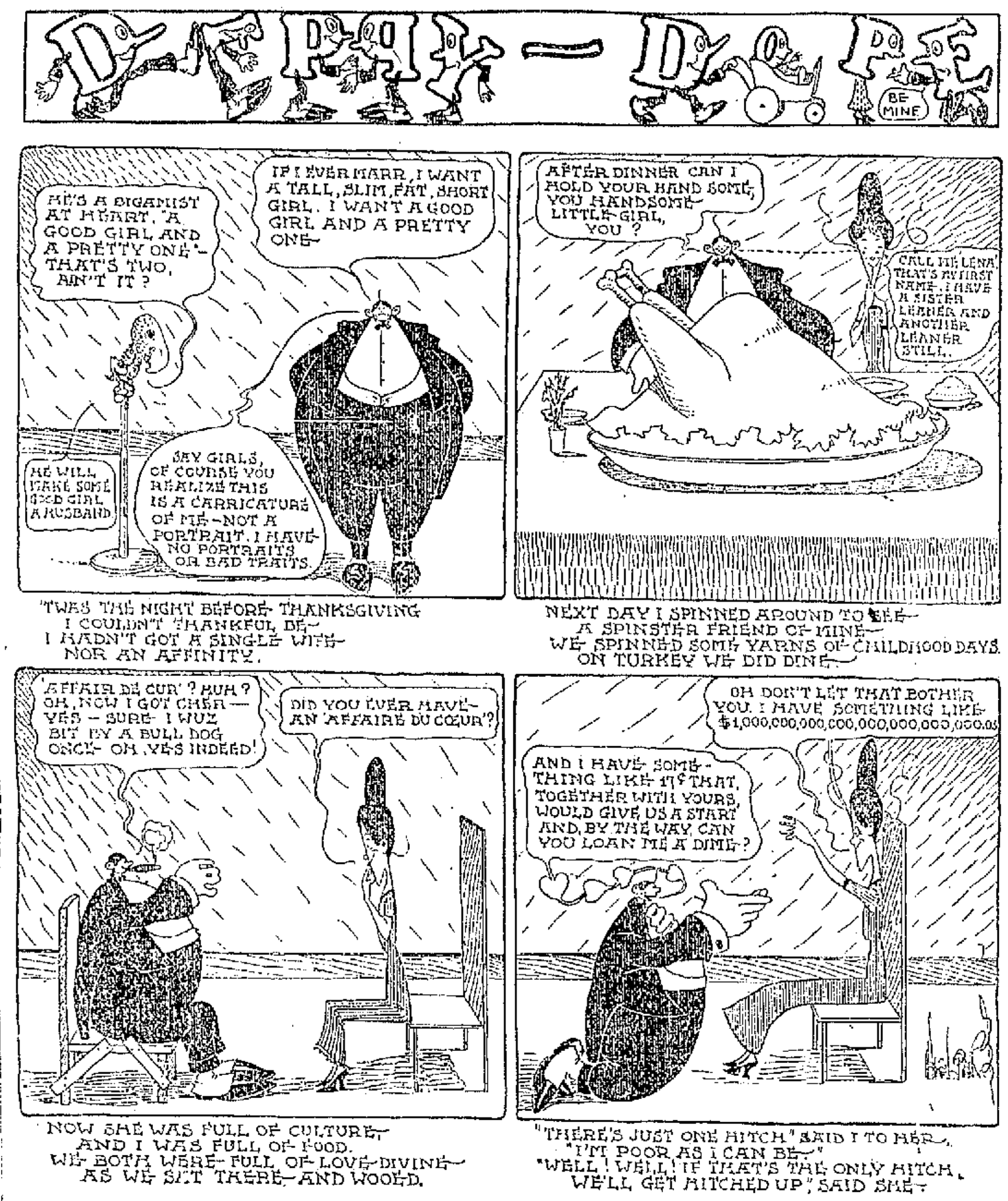


A LONG NECK.

"I envy the ostrich one day every year."

"What is that?"

"Thanksgiving Day."

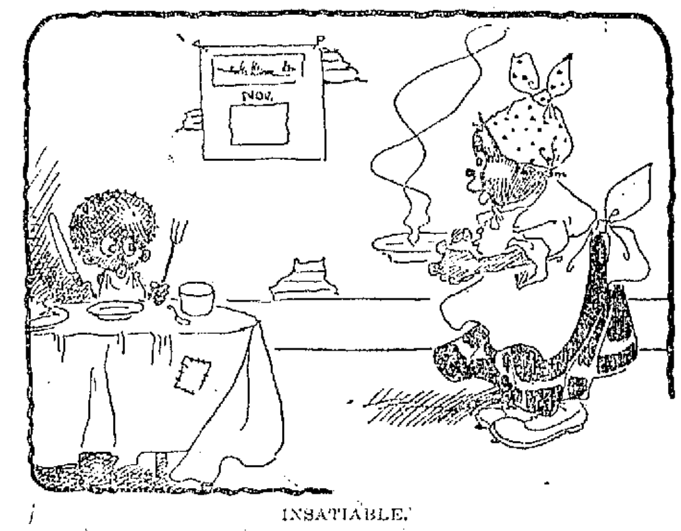


BUSINESS FOR HIM.

"Father is very much worried for fear they'll abolish the game of football."

"A devoted follower of the game, eh?"

"No. He's a surgeon."



INSATIABLE.

What? Yo' want mo' turkey? Say, chile, yo' isn't human. Yo's a bottomless pit, dat's what yo' is.

A Boy's Day After.

GOT so muchy much.
Guess it was goose.
Tasted like a pillow.

Pa said——!

Ma said she'd done the best she could.

Ma licked me for what pa said, and pa licked me for what ma said.

Cranberry sauce, but some Cape Cod sand got mixed in. Pa said it was the pure quill.

Ma asked what a poor woman could do without cotton-seed oil.

Licked again.

No snow—no sled—no fights.

Mince pie. Pa tasted and said it wasn't healthy to eat feather scraps.

Ma cried and said she didn't care to live any longer.

I told her she'd die fast 'nuff if she ate the pie.

Some one got licked, and it was neither pa nor ma.

Ice cream for dessert—brick ice cream.

Dad said he hadn't planned to become a brickyard yet.

Ma cried and wanted to be an angel right away.

Dad and I winked at each other, and then.

S'more licking.

Give me Liberty or Death and you can have Thanksgiving!

A Wicked Shame.

HE knew what the old man with the benign face on him was going to say as soon as he entered the street car, and he had scarcely dropped into a seat when he began.

"Ah, friends, can I ever forget Thanksgiving Day in New England!"

"Look here, sir!" replied a mean-looking man as he bent forward and fastened his eyes on the good old man, "we don't want any such talk in this car."

"I was only going on to say—."

"Yes, I know, but you needn't say it."

"But Thanksgiving in New England—"

"Stop it! They can't roast a turkey up, and we all know it. They've got cranberries, but they stew 'em up with weeds. They've got potatoes, but they are lumpy when mashed."

"But the pumpkin pies—."

"Shut up! They don't know how to make 'em and will never learn."

"But roast pig—."

"Roast nothing! Don't talk to us, sir!"

"But can't I speak of—?"

"No, you can't! Were you born in a New England State?"

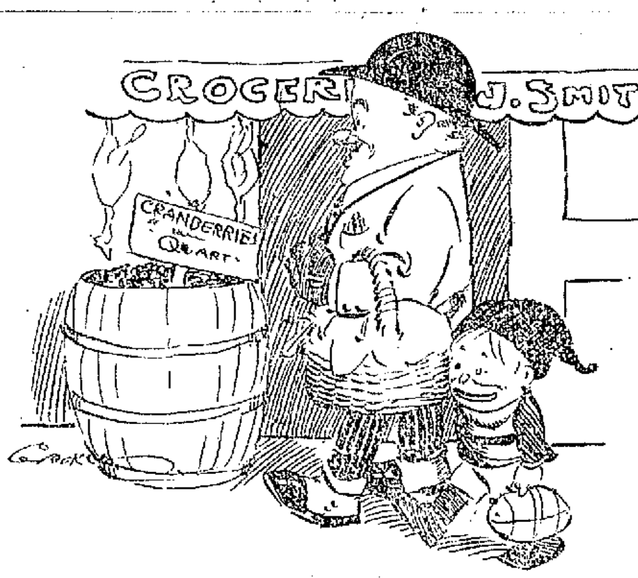
"Well, no-o-o."

"Ever live there?"

"Not skassly."

"Then you go out and drop off this car!"

And the nice old man shook his grey head in a sorrowful way and went.



THOSE PRICES.

"Say, Paw, what is Thanksgiving Day?"

"A day of thanks for poultry dealers."

Eat and Be Thankful.

THAT Columbus discovered the cranberry.

That good old apple-sass is still with us.

That the hobble skirt hasn't scared the turkey away.

That the goose doesn't kick about it.

That the pumpkin pie wears that same golden smile.

That a ham-bone makes a good Thanksgiving feast.

That you can pass your plate twice and not be called a hog.

That the family next door got the old rooster.

That the cook didn't mix the oil-can with the stuffing.

That under the pure food law there must be an ounce of real coffee for every pound of beans and chicory.

That the tramp went into the house on the corner.

That the old setting hen died of pneumonia before the farmer could sell her.

That the grocer and butcher didn't shut off credit the day before.

That the mother-in-law who was coming over fell and broke a leg.

That what duck we can't eat can be sold for calfskin.

Yes, there are lots of things to be thankful for, even down to the salt, which is only half flour.

NATURALLY.

Joax—"The Italians should have a pleasant Thanksgiving this year."

Hoax—"Why so?"

Joax—"They're going to have a lot of Turkey."

PLAYING FOR REPUTATION.

Did you win in yesterday's football game?

Won twenty-five dollars.

I lost just that much.

So did I. You see, by betting both ways you win a reputation as a judge of form or as a good loser, and in either case you're a sport.

PROOF LACKING.

It doesn't seem a bit like Thanksgiving.

Why not?

I haven't a stomach-ache.

Thankful Johnnie.

I AM thankful that my dear school teacher was sick for three days last week and gave us easy lessons.

I am thankful that father laid the broken looking-glass to the cat instead of me.

I am thankful that I have licked every boy I have scrapped with this last year.

I am thankful that no Black Hander has thrown a bomb and torn my darling mother all to rags.

I am thankful that we have got an old rooster for dinner, and that father and mother have poor teeth and can't eat tough meat.

I am thankful that when I put a billiard ball in my mouth on a bet of five cents the doctor only had to take one of my jaws off to get it out.

I am thankful that father is not a party man, but always votes for the best men, and is flush for a week or two after election.

I can't begin to tell all I am thankful for. I am thankful a boy hit me in the head with a baseball and rendered me unconscious, and I had a chance to stay home and play with my goat for four straight days.

THANKSGIVING SHOWER.

A dozen of we girls are going to give Mae Dangs a Thanksgiving shower.

That's something new, isn't it?

Yes. Mae has invited us all to eat turkey with her.

Then she gives the dinner?

Yes.

Yes.

And what do you give?

We give the thanks.

HE KNEW.

"Don't you think that seeing is believing?"

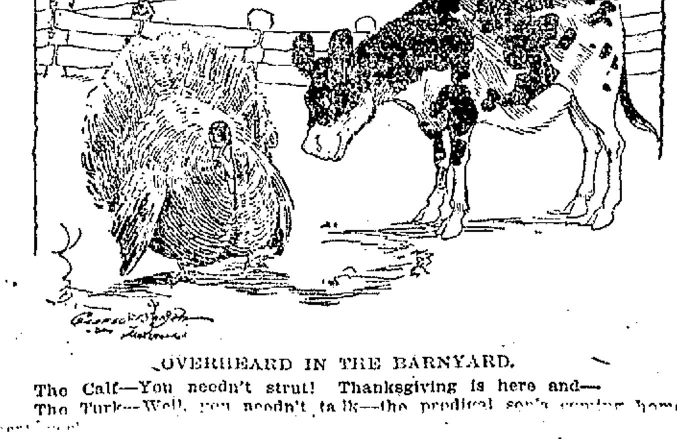
"No. I see people every day that ...

A Thanksgiving Tragedy.

IN TRIPOLI.

"We had to notify the soldiers to hurry up and get through that last battle."

"What was the trouble?"



OVERHEARD IN THE BARNYARD.

The Calf—You needn't strut! Thanksgiving is here and—

The Turk—Well, you needn't talk—the prodigal son's coming home ...

THE CITY ELECTIONS

Were Held in a Number of Massachusetts Cities Yesterday

MAYORS ELECTED

CITIES	MAYORS ELECTED	Pluralities
BROCKTON	*Harry C. Howard	—
FALL RIVER	**Thomas F. Higgins, D	—
FITCHBURG	Frank O. Hardy, C	276
GLOUCESTER	*Isaac Patch, N. P.	85
HAVERHILL	**Edwin H. Moulton	—
HOLYOKE	*J. J. White, R	1187
MARLBORO	J. Henry Gleason, R. C	485
NEW BEDFORD	*Charles S. Ashley, C	—
NORTHAMPTON	W. H. Feiker, R	327
QUINCY	E. R. Stone, R	2024
SPRINGFIELD	**Edward H. Lathrop, D	—
TAUNTON	N. J. W. Fish, I. R	268
WALTHAM	P. J. Duane, D	179

*Reelected. **Elected in 1910 for two years.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Thirteen Massachusetts cities held their annual elections yesterday, and although the license question was a live issue in almost every instance, all but one held firm to their position. The exception was Gloucester, where a license majority of 377 was registered as against a no-license majority last year of 283.

Of the 13 cities only three now remain in the "dry" column—Brockton Quincy and Waltham. Other cities voting yesterday were Fall River, Fitchburg, Gloucester, Haverhill, Holyoke, Marlboro, New Bedford, Northampton, Springfield and Taunton. Three of the cities, Fall River, Haverhill and Springfield, did not elect a mayor yesterday, interest being centered upon the choice of aldermen and school committee. In every city where a mayor was elected there was a contest.

Mayor Charles S. Ashley of New Bedford won the most notable victory. He was a candidate on the Citizen's ticket for a 15th term, and won by a comfortable margin in a field of three. There was also a three-cornered fight in Brockton, where Mayor Harry C. Howard was re-elected.

With many persons watching in New Bedford, because of the reports of vote buying there in other elections, no trace of anything wrong was found. The defeated candidates declared the election had been clean and the state police corroborated this.

Patrick J. Duane, democrat, was chosen mayor of Waltham, defeating Charles E. Getchell, republican, by 179 votes Mr. Duane is the first democrat elected to the office since 1896, and the second since Waltham became a city.

Judge William S. Woods was defeated for re-election as mayor of Taunton by Nathaniel J. W. Fish. The city again declared for license.

The democrats retain control of the Northampton city council, although their candidates for mayor, Timothy J. Collins, was defeated by William H. Feiker, republican. The license advocates increased last year's majority by 100 votes.

Haverhill for the second successive year voted for license, increasing the majority of 215 last year to 369. The surprise of the election was the defeat of Alderman Killam and Bean.

Marlboro provided a surprise in the defeat of John J. Shaughnessy by J. Henry Gleason, who was elected mayor by a majority of 485. The license majority was cut 297 votes, but the city remains in the "wet" column.

In Fitchburg, Mayor Fred O'Connell was defeated for a fourth term by Frank O. Hardy by 276 votes. Mayor O'Connell ran as an independent citizen and Hardy was the candidate of the citizens' party. The city declared for license of the fifth consecutive year.

Fall River democrats for the first time elected their candidates for the school board. On the license question, the yes vote was increased by 326. The majority last year for license was 1643 and this year it is 1968.

Quincy is again in the republican column, the city giving Eugene R. Stone a big vote for mayor. He defeated James E. Wall, democrat, by a margin of 2024. The city voted for no license, but the majority of last year was cut by over 200 votes. The republicans have 20 of the 23 members of the council.

THE BADGER GAME

Alleged to Have Been Worked by Woman

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 6.—Counsel for Josephine Joy "threw up the sponge" before Federal Judge Charles P. Orr yesterday afternoon, and the suit of her husband, Almer V. Sturtevant of Boston against Willis B. Sterling, an Erie merchant, demanding $25,000 damages for the alienation of his wife's affections, failed.

That Mrs. Sturtevant, or "Josephine Joy," as she is known on Broadway, had admitted herself to be one of the cleverest badger-game workers and blackmailers in America, was the theme of several depositions filed by New Yorkers. That she "badgered" victims from the time she was a student in the Boston Conservatory of Music is said to have been her boast.

Neither Sturtevant nor the woman was in court and Judge Orr immediately found judgment in favor of Sterling, who is one of the wealthiest merchants in Erie. Sensational charges covering a period of several months had been made against him by Sturtevant.

Notable among the depositions filed were those of Helen Dwelle Jenkins, who was named last summer in the smuggling scandal; Richard Parr, deputy surveyor of the port of New York, Van Ness Norwood of the New York World and A. S. Phillips of the New York Times.

The Parr deposition contained nothing about alleged blackmail, but those of Norwood and Phillips contained the story of the woman's own admissions, made to them in New York city.

Among the rich men she is said to have fleeced was named a Boston banker, whom, she said, she had "shaken down" for $1000 after he had paid her tuition in the Boston Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Jenkins is brought into the case through Josephine's alleged efforts to "make a touch" for $2500. According to letters filed with the depositions, the latter is said to have wanted the money to fight the suit "before they find out that I am living with my husband."

Norwood declares that she called her husband a "catspaw" and sometimes used him in her work.

When asked why she was not satisfied with the money she received from acting, she is said to have remarked that she liked the "zest" of blackmailing.

She is alleged also to have said that she used bellboys at hotels to help her. They were paid, she is alleged to have said, to note the exact time men entered and left her room.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE

CAUTION.

Speak gently. It is better far,
At least while feeling ground.
The man may be a pugilist
And heavy on the pound.

Find the man who did not speak gently.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE.

Upper right corner down, at right shoulder.

A LITTLE NONSENSE

SO EASY.

"Yes, Willie, when the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock it was dreadfully cold and they suffered terribly."

"Why didn't they go to Florida for the winter?"

GOT ALL THEY HAD.

"Tom has broken with his relatives."

"But he broke them before he broke with them."

THE USUAL INDICATION.

"Has Grace finally given up all thoughts of marrying?"

"I guess so. She has taken up bridge."

AT THE MASQUERADE BALL.

"You have no idea how perfectly lovely you looked in your disguise!"

"Do you think so?"

"Yes, indeed! I was surprised when you unmasked!"

FORTUNATE.

Count—Ze weather is so queer over here. I must get my overcoat out.

Heiress—How lucky!

Count—In what way?

Heiress—That you haven't lost the ticket.

HIS JOB.

"Did you have any thrilling experiences in the Alps, Mr. Pumper?"

"Oh, yes, Miss Plumper. On one occasion I was forced to act as the chauffeur of a snowslide."

EX-GOV. FOLK

INVITED TO THE JACKSON DAY BANQUET

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Former Governor Folk of Missouri has been sent an invitation to attend the Jackson day banquet to be held here Jan. 8th. Senator Stone of Missouri protested to the committee in charge when he found that the former governor's name did not apear on the guest list along with that of Speaker Clark and others who have been mentioned in connection with the democratic presidential nomination. It was explained that the guests were selected by states rather than with reference to their being presidential possibilities and that Mr. Folk's name had not been left off intentionally. Then the invitation was telegraphed.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Board of Railroad Commissioners, Boston, December 4, 1911. (8640.)

On the Petition of the Lexington and Boston Street Railway Co., for approval of location for one pole on Concord road near Davis road in the town of Bedford, established under an order of the selectmen of said town dated August 31, 1911, the Board will give a hearing to the parties in interest at its office, No. 20 Beacon street, Boston, on Friday, the eighth day of December, instant, at ten-thirty o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof once prior to said date in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, to serve a copy hereof on the Town of Bedford, and to make return of service at the time of hearing.

By order of the Board,
CHARLES E. MANN, Clerk.

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We carry in stock and furnish linings, grates, covers, centers, water fronts, etc., for all kinds of stoves and ranges. Work done at lowest prices. Bring size and name of stove, or telephone 1977-1.

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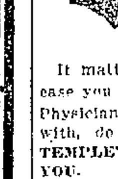

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

THE VENDOME HOTEL FOR SALE. For particulars call or write to Mrs. W. A. Joplin, 359 Essex st., Lawrence, Mass.

6-ROOM COTTAGE AND STORE FOR sale, $1600; 4-room cottage and barn, $1150; 6-room cottage, $1050; 2 acres of land, 15 minutes to Merrimack sq., $1300. F. L. Vance, 88 Third st., Centralville.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN IS on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

SAFETY RAZOR BLADES OF ALL kinds sharpened: Gillette's a specialty; 2½c each. Harry Gonzales, The Cutler, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

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While I have not tuberculosis as yet, the condition of my lungs is such that two prominent Lowell physicians have urged that I get out of doors at once. I do not care to take any chances with this dread disease and plan to leave for the west about Jan. 1. I have hundreds of neckties and other goods that must be sold before Dec. 25 regardless of the loss incurred. Here are the prices; you can judge the quality for yourself:

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EXPERIENCED COOK WANTED AT 90 Westford st.

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FROM 10 TO 15 LABORING MEN wanted. Inquire at 35 Tanner st.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS WANTED —Customs employes. Average $90 month. Lowell examinations announced Jan. 15th. Sample questions free. Write immediately. Franklin Institute, Dept. 158 K., Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY—ABLE-bodied unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 159 Middlesex st., Lowell, Mass.

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NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS TO let with steam heat, board if desired at The Appleton House, 160 and 162 Appleton st., under new management.

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7-ROOM COTTAGE TO LET; BATH, pantry and gas; located in Centralville. Apply 131 Coburn st., or 35 Shattuck st.

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FLAT OF 6 ROOMS TO LET; UPstairs; pantry, bath and hot water. Apply 39 Shaffer st.

TWO 8-ROOM TENEMENTS ON Fremont st. Nice half of double cottage on Alder st. Two 8-room tenements on Stackpole st. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

7-ROOM COTTAGE TO LET AT 589 Princeton st. Call or telephone City Hall Garage.

9-ROOM HOUSE TO LET; STEAM heat, set tubs, hot and cold water; good garden, 21 Osgood st. Keys next door.

5-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET; HOT water, bath. Inquire at 23 C st.

ROOM TO LET, ALL KITCHEN privileges, 50c to $1.00 week, or will sell furnishings and for use of room will pay the rent. Address S., Sun Office.

EXTRA SUNNY 5-ROOM TENEment to let; separate front and back doors, gas, pantry, good woodshed, very convenient location, only $9 per month. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

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4-ACRE FARM TO LET, 3 MILES from Lowell. Inquire at 32 Lakeview ave.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS TO let; also rooms suitable for light housekeeping; under new management. Inquire 387 Central st.

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VERY PLEASANT TENEMENT OF 5 rooms to let; attic for storage; situated on the cor. of Race and Dodge sts., No. 24 Dodge st.; all in perfect repair; rent $2.50 per week. Inquire of L. H. Hanon, or telephone 2328-3.

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ONE 5-ROOM AND ONE 4-ROOM tenement to let on North st. Apply at 33 North st.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS WANTed, near Highlands, for light housekeeping; must have steam or furnace heat and bath; also price reasonable. Address stating full particulars to Box 474, Lowell.

NICE 4-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET at 215 Aiken st., rent $1.75 per week. Also one 3-room tenement at 77 Cheever st., $1.25 per week. Apply at 219 Aiken st.

STORE TO LET WITH 3-ROOM tenement at 553 Lawrence st., $2 per week, also tenement of 6 rooms, $2 per week. Inquire 321 Lawrence st.

COTTAGE OF 6 ROOMS TO LET, with bath and furnace heat, at 99 Read st. Rent $15 the month. Inquire 51 Fifth st.

6-ROOM FLAT TO LET, ON SIXTH st., near Bridge st., in first class repair; bath and pantry, hot and cold water, set tubs, set bowl; rent $15 per month. G. L. Hubbard, Wyman's Exchange.

JOE FLYNN HAS A NEW HOUSE at 129 Cushing st., to let. four new 5-room flats. One 7-room house at 43 Prospect st. One 4-room flat at 12 Maple st. One 6-room flat at 50 Elm st. Two 4-room flats at 58 Elm st. One 5-room flat at 81 Chapel st.

FOUR-ROOM TENEMENTS TO LET; 16 to 18 Seventh st. Inquire on premises, or telephone 1433-1.

5-ROOM UPSTAIRS FLAT TO LET at 172 Stackpole st., near Alder st. Bath, pantry, set tubs, hot water, gas and electric fixtures. Rent $15 a month. Apply to George Fairburn, 384 High st. Telephone 3563.

ROOMS TO LET IN THE HARRINGton bldg., 52 Central st. Hard wood floors, steam heat, combination electric and gas lights. Inquire at The Sun Office.

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VALUABLE CRESCENT PIN OF sapphires and pearls, lost in the vicinity of Merrimack sq., Sunday. Suitable reward for return of same to The Sun office.

BLACK FUR NECK PIECE LOST, either in Christian Hill car or Gorham st. car, Tuesday evening, Nov. 28. Finder will receive reward for its return to 69 Sixth st.

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SITUATION WANTED BY A REspectable woman doing light housework in the country or city, for small family. Inquire 27 Rogers st.

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INFORMATION WANTED

WILL THE PARTY WHO REturned the Irish setter to H. Hill, 55 Gage st., either call or write me his name to receive reward.

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MONEY FOR SALARIED PEOPLE—Women keeping house and others, advanced them without security, easy payments, cheapest rates, don't worry or annoy friends about money, keep your credit good by paying as you agree. I will furnish you money to do it. D. H. Tolman, Room 403, 45 Merrimack st.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.14	7.12
x6.25	7.41	7.24	8.27
6.48	7.30	7.58	8.43
b6.40	7.53	b8.21	9.27
7.00	8.00	9.00	9.37
7.21	8.06	10.00	10.36
x7.31	8.47	11.30	12.07
7.58	8.35	12.30	1.07
8.59	9.58	1.00	1.37
b8.13	10.23	2.00	2.34
9.45	10.28	3.00	3.30
10.02	11.12	b3.51	5.02
10.49	11.30	4.00	4.36
12.13	1.00	x4.14	5.32
1.47	2.25	5.00	5.37
2.34	3.27	b5.21	6.26
3.57	4.40	5.27	6.18
4.52	5.27	b5.51	7.06
5.28	6.20	x6.14	7.32
b6.11	7.14	7.30	8.02
6.17	7.00	8.36	9.08
7.21	8.00	10.30	11.38
9.46	10.30	11.17	12.13

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.65	x0.55	8.10
8.08	9.10	9.24	10.34
10.10	11.10	10.55	11.54
10.55	12.00	11.50	12.54
12.02	1.10	2.14	3.20
x1.30	2.30	3.35	4.45
5.17	6.25	5.14	6.10
7.00	8.00	6.02	7.04
10.08	11.12	6.35	7.48
		9.50	10.58

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.00	2.14	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.48	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.36
7.55	8.39	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.49	1.00	1.52
9.20	10.12	5.00	6.02
10.28	11.24	7.30	8.08
2.08	2.45	8.00	9.08
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
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b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

LOCAL NEWS

Political printing at Tobin's.

Try Lawler's for Printing, 29 Prescott.

Industry Council Royal Arcanum election of officers Wednesday evening, December 6, 1911.

Mrs. Joseph McDonald and her daughter, Alpheda have returned from a pleasant trip to Manchester, N. H.

Mr. Louis Duclos of Manchester, N. H., and Mrs. E. Grenier of New York, were recently the guests of their mother in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Savard and their daughter, Miss Severine and Mr. Joseph Gregoire, have returned from a pleasant trip to Manchester, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Daneau of Cartier street, Manchester.

The members of the Cosmos club enjoyed a theatre party at Keith's Monday evening. After the performance they journeyed to the home of their president where a turkey supper was served.

The members of the "Old Liners" held their regular bi-monthly social and dance in Grange hall, Dracut Centre, last night, and the affair was largely attended. The music was furnished by Hibbard's orchestra and at intermission refreshments were served.

Musical instructor F. O. Blunt has requested the Imperial Russian Court Balalaika orchestra to make a special price for school children at its concert to be given at the Opera House, Saturday evening. The price arranged is 25 cents each for the regular 50 cent tickets.

LADIES BRING

or send your muffs to the fur department at Colonial Store and have them relined with good quality satin, only 50c. All fur repairing done at equally low prices. Main floor. Near elevator.

FUNERAL NOTICE

BARRETT—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Barrett will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 14 Watson street and high mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge.

AN ASTRACHAN COLLAR LOST between Andover and Harrison sts. Finder return to Sun Office and receive reward.

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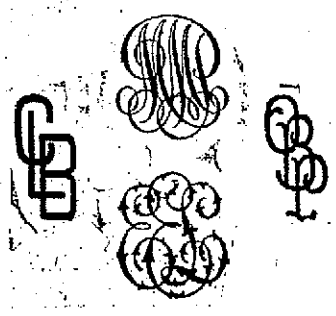

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and battlefields with deeds of imperishable glory. Whether it be Edmund Burke or Brinsley Sheridan whose brains were mightly looms that wove tapestries of glory for England and for mankind, or a Tom Moore breaking forth into song sweeter than the song of the nightingale; whether it be an O'Connell wringing Catholic emancipation from a hostile British parliament, or a Parnell, a Davitt, or a Redmond on Irish hillside or in the alien legislature; whether it be an Owen

JEREMIAH O'SULLIVAN.

Roe at Benburb, or Sarsfield on the plains of Landon, shedding his heart's blood and wishing it were for Ireland; whether it be a Dillon or a Lalley at Fontenoy, or Father John Murphy at Oulart or Vinegar Hill; whether it be a Meagher leading the brave boys of the Irish brigade with 'blossoms of blood on their sprigs of green,' up Maryc's heights, or a Phil Sheridan riding like a god of war in the Shenandoah valley; whether it be the men of Pickett's brigade in the bloody angle of Gettysburg, or Pat Cleburne leading a forlorn hope and dying at the cannon's mouth in the breastworks of the foe; whether it be an O'Higgins in Peru, an O'Donnell in Spain, a McMahon in France, or a Maclinhan of the blood-sodden soil of Bulgaria; whether it be the Irish soldiers with the Boers at Spion Kop, or the Kelleys, the Burkes and the Sheas at Santiago, Irish steel and Irish statesmanship, Irish valor and Irish eloquence have been the greatest inspiration for the world's leaders in the ever continuous and gigantic struggle for human liberty.

"The idealsim of the Irish people in the days of St. Patrick which permitted him to convert a fearless and warlike nation in which the individualism of each man predominated strongly, found its natural and perfect development in the intense action of the Irish exiles of America in the establishment of an ideal government in this world.

"The idealism of the Irish race which gives to the Irish mother such a desire to educate her offspring; that gives them also a desire for the spiritual over the material, gave them also the most profound longing for the republic which is the best known form of government for a civilized world. Just as they aspired to the spiritual over the material, so did they naturally desire a republic over a monarchy.

"That the Irish race played a predominating part in the establishment of this republic has not been generally recognized. Injustice has been done because history has not been truthfully told.

"We could hardly write a single chapter of the history of this country without mingling with it the heroic story of the Irish race. They have enriched the blood of America beyond all other peoples.

"Destiny has delighted to mingle with American perpetuity the rejuvenating blood of a great, strong, brilliant race, a whole race of big-hearted, bright-minded, affectionate people who have come to this country from the midst of the idyls and tragedies of Ireland, the brightest, strangest and saddest of all time.

"And when they came, they brought with them the richest, rarest legacy that Europe could bequeath or the whole world give.

"Wherever danger called he was always found in front. He has ever been first to hear the bugle blast to arms and victory, whenever and wherever sounded on land or sea for liberty. Sullivan and Langden struck the first blow of the revolution in the assault on Fort William and Mary before the resounding arms of Lexington was heard around the world. Jeremiah O'Brien was the first to win victory on the sea, and brave old John Barry, the father of them all, who now sweetly sleeps at St. Mary's, was the last.

"The first shot for the Union (which was at Fort Sumter), was sighted by the clear eye and touched by the loyal hand of Patrick Gibbon. And Corcoran, a Tipperary boy, was the first officer to fling Old Glory to the breeze on the sacred soil of Old Virginia.

"On all the battlefields of the republic from Lexington to Yorktown, and from Fort Sumter to Appomattox, the Irish soldier has given to our arms his matchless valor and poured out his blood like water, everywhere, on every field of honor the sunburst of Irish loyalty has waved side by side with the starry banner.

"They were with Sullivan and Wayne and Knox and Morgan. They fought at Lexington, Bunker Hill, Stony Point, Monmouth, Bennington, Kings Mountan, Cowpens and Yorktown.

"They were with George Washington on all the fields of courage to light a torch below and to set a new star in the firmament above.

"And in the great civil conflict there were no battles fought for the Union in which the Irishman did not share with distinguished valor.

"That Irish ideal is further exemplified in the deep heartfelt and poignant yearning for the day so long coming and so patiently waiting when he can behold his beloved Ireland taking her place among the nations of the world. Yes, my friends, however dreamy and chimerical it may appear, we cling to that ideal in the fond hope that the future has a hoarded summer time for Ireland when her ancient glory may be revived and surpassed.

"We shall cling to that ideal until the foreign blight is removed, when the valleys and the hills and rivers shall sing with happy Irish voices of the owners of the land, and the long silence will be broken by the whir of busy wheels; when the ships shall sail in and out on every tide from the harbors that are capable of accommodating the navies of the world; when the stone shall be rolled away from her sepulchre; and she will no longer be the island of sorrows; and when her songs shall be attuned to a new spirit, and the voice of the Celt shall be heard through a thousand years of triumph, as it has through a thousand years of pain."

The other contributors to the evening's program were: President John J. Sullivan, who spoke briefly on the benefits of the Holy Name society; duet, John Broderick and John Lee; song, Raymond Chapello; recitation, William Marren; piano selection, Peter Bagley; song, James E. Donnelly; recitation, Charles Bombardier.

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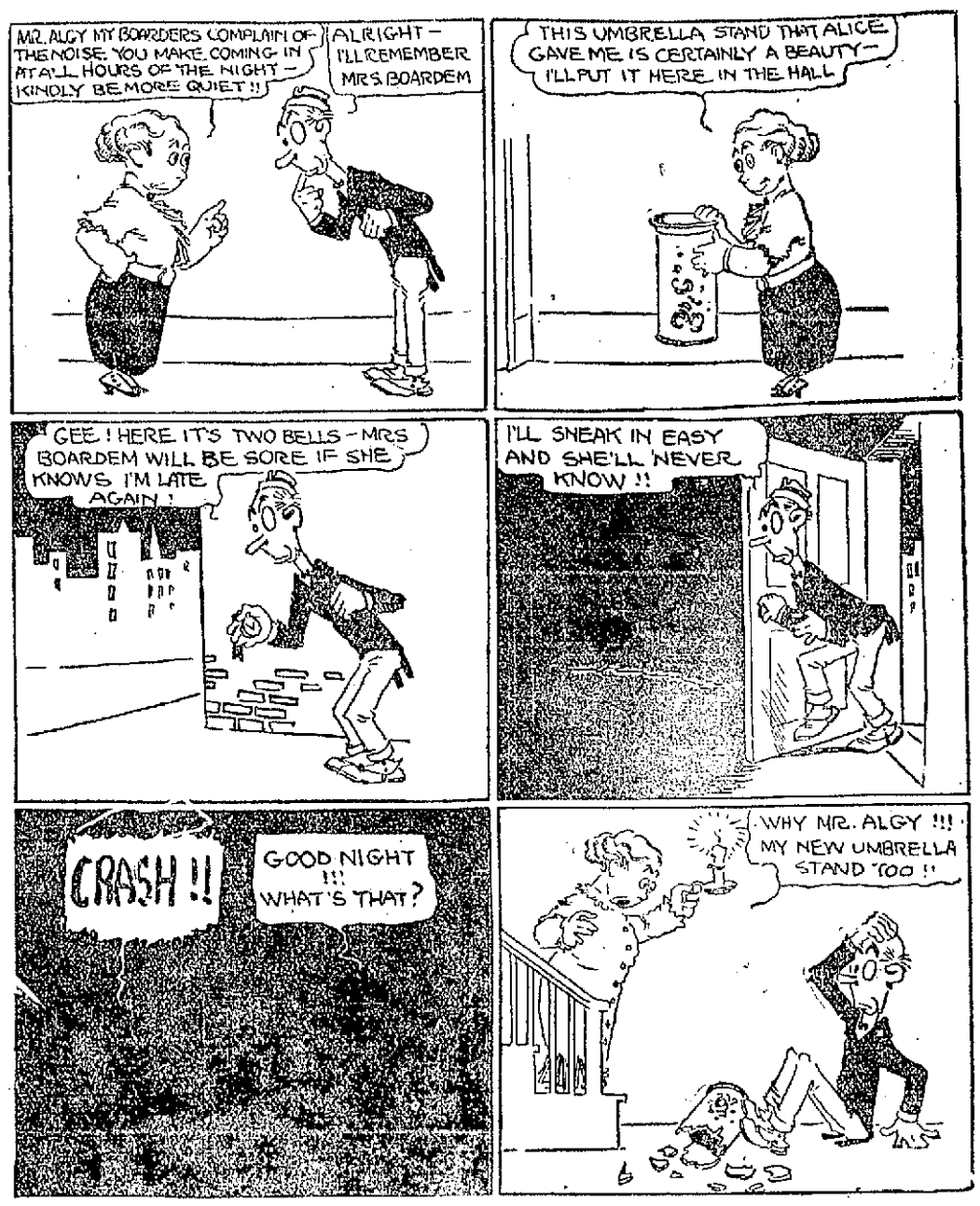

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Children's Bear Skin Caps, were 39c, ... 10c

Children's Little Knitted Booties, were 25c, ... 7c

Special Sale of Ladies' Cardigan Jackets, Sweaters, Aprons, Collars, Corsets, Gloves, Hosiery and Underwear.

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We just bought a line of Sample Silk Taffeta and Messaline Waists that sold from $2.98 to $5, sizes 36 and 38, and will sell them on Thursday for less than the cost of making, each.. $1.19

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